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CHAHAR BATTLE SPREADING

Communist Force In Yuhsien

PRECAUTIONS

London, Mar. 22. All British and American troops in the Free Zone of Intria, adjoining the Free Zone of Trieste, had been confined to barracks since midnight yesterday. Rome Radio reported tonight. The report added that British and American frontier guards in the Free Zone, have been reinforced along the Yugoslav frontier. -Reuter.

BOYS BACK WORK

The boys and waiters of the Hong Kong, Peninsula and Repulse Bay Hotels and the Lido returned to work yesterday afternoon, bringing ing the Nationalist operation proceed as far ar Tiencheng. to an end a strike involving over 1,200 of their number since Friday fly to the front to launch a noon, when they walked | counter-offensive

out en masse. The return to work followed ralification of the compromise arrangement arrived at between the hotel management and the strikers' delegates on Monday

afternoon. at the hotels shortly after tif- Manus As fin hour yesterday. Right up to that time strike pickets were Aussie posted outside the hotel en-

Both residents and the hotel Base staff heaved a sigh of relief that "the whole thing is over' The hotel staff had been workovertime and performing

Residents took the whole thing in good spirit but not a few of them forgot to turn off the water taps, before going eut._it_was_reported,_and_flood= ed bath rooms were not an infrequent occurrence.

SALVAGE ATTEMP IN HARBOUR

A third portion of the wreck was removed a few months ago. been in progress.

removed to the gcrap dump at | was serious, Mr. Chifley, said.-Kowloon Bay.

Heavy Engagement In Shansi

Shanghai, Mar. 23. battle along the Chahar-Shansi border is spreading ominously as Communist forces, pushing south, have driven into the outskirts of Yuhsien, 65 miles south of Kalgan, according to pro-Government despatches today.

In north-eastern Shansi, heavy fighting is also reported around Kwangling, 60 miles south-east of Tatung, following the Government evacuation of Yangkao which adjoins the Suiyuan

The present moves of General

Railway gange in the past 24

As a result of the restoration

reinforcements are now said to

against the Communiste

Nearing Tsinan

In Manchuria, the Govern-

Changchun at all costs in seen

afternoon of General Chen

from Mukden to take over the

among the inhabitants of Muk-

den vesterday when for the first

time in several weeks a Nation-

alist food convoy reached the

city from Chinchow, a strategic

city in the Manchurian corri

dor, about 120 miles to the

south-west, according to the

Rome, Mar. 23.

The Western Allies proposed

the return of the free territory

of Trieste to Italy last Satur-

day. Yugoslavia countered

said: "It is clear that Italy

cannot accept the separation of

a part of Italian flesh bartered

flenh."-Ascociated Press.

for another part of Italian

SEX MURDER

There was much jubilation

tionalist territory.

rhortly.

.10 days' fighting.

Tientsin-Pukow railway.

ment's determination

defence of the city.

border further to the north. Communists swooped down on [Chi-wu last night expressed Yuhsien following a series of confidence in the defence of his fast manoeuvres in which they province against encroachments overwhelmed the Government from Communist General Nich defences at Sihoying, 16 miles Yung-cheng who is directing the Communist drive. to the northeast.

The fighting at Yuhsien, which is the centre of the pre- Nich's forces, he said, were sent Communist offensive in aimed at disrupting communica-Inner Mongolia, has entered the tions on the Peiping-Sulyuan stage of savage hand-to-hand railway and obstructing spring combat with both sides suffer- farming in that sector of Naing heavy casualtles.

As the Communists have trespassed upon his territory, Gen- hours, working overtime under eral Fu Tso-yi, North China heavy guard, repaired the Comoverall Commander-in-Chief, is minist damage to the line, enreported personally to be direct. abling trains from Peiping tofrom Peiping on a round the infaway between Kalgan and

It is stated that he may later

Governor Confident In Kweisul, capital of Suiyuan province, Covernor Tung

Canberra, Mar. 23. Defence Australian Council will discuss plans on all sorts of work to make the April 5 for the development of Guinea, as an Australian naval

> The base was handed over to Australia by the United States last year at an ultimate cost of £3,000,000.

The Australian Governmen has made an offer to the United States for the purchase of American equipment and stores at Manus and when this deal is completed, a decision will made on the defence works to

be undertaken there. Mr. Joseph Chifley, the Prime An attempt will be made this Minister, told a press conferafternoon to raise part of the ence today that he had receive Japanese wreck, submerged in jed no confirmation of reports the central fairway of the har- that machineguas had been used by the Chinese in a dispute with the administrative authorities on the island. He was commenting on a Since then work on cutting the port that 300 Chinese had remaining portion into two has formed into machingun units and had defied the civil authorities. Official reports did

pro-Kuomintang daily, Shut The report did not mention lifted portion will be not suggest that the situation the route by which the convoy travelied but said that every Reuter. lorry was loaded with rice and fleur. Hitherto Mukden had de-"We Never Dig Into pended upon airlifted food supplies for supplying the popula-

tion .- Reuter. Such Reports" SWAP OFFER London, Mar. 23. REJECTED

Buckingham Palace sources sceptically dismissed a fresh crop of rumours today that Princess

Elizabeth is pregnant. Officially they stuck to the usual "No comment because we never dig into such reports."

Unofficially, however, they said cial announcement cancelling . the "there is no good reason to suppose" Princess' public dates; is expected the Princers is expecting a child in any time in the next few weeks. the autumn as has been reported . This will be necessary," it said abroad-and in one London news- "in expectation of the Princess be-

Until now the British press ignored the speculation. Its only allusion The paper added that the heires to the Princess, possible pregnancy to the throne had stready given appeared a couple of months ago in horseback riding, one of her fa- if Italy will give up Gorlaia, to the Sunday Pictorial which said the Vourite pastimes, would no longer the north. Princess and Philip had confided to delve the heavier Royal care and had intimates that they would talke inth have a baby in the first year

abuir merriage. correspondent the paper, one of the remodelled. The Princess and Phi most widely circulated of the popul lip are meantime living in Kensing Lar Sunday: papers, said that an off in Palace.

Italy has flatly rejected Yugoslavia's offer to swar Trieste for the Italian city of Gorizia, a Foreign Ministry spokesman said today.

coining a mother in October. Nursery

chosen a nursery in Clarence House. This historic Royal residence in the heart of London wes chosen as the In a front page story by a "special couple's own home. It is now being Members of the Royal household emphasized that a great deal obvious ly has been made of the fact that

the couple are not going on the Royal tour of Australia and New Zealand

Winchester, Mar. 23

KOWLOON CITY PETITION

Kowloon City residents dispossessed of their land by the Japanese expansion of war years was presented fairs, for forwarding to the

Lord Listowel. . The petition handed in by two representatives of the people, requested that those in possession of alternative sites be given legal title to the land; and those who are still without land be al-

lotted alternative sites. The petition, which was in Chinese, is being trans-lated by the S.C.A. for transmission to the authoritles concerned.

At-Bombs On U.S. Warships

Lincoln, Nebraska, March. 22.

Representative Arthur of traffic strong Government L. Miller (Nebraska Rebe arriving at designated points publican) said today ulong the line and counter that United States ships Mediterranean blows are expected to be struck were carrying atom Although Nationalist forces bombs more powerful in Shantung have made further than those dropped on headway along the Tsinan-Japan.

Taingtao railway, the conlimin- "We may see some atom-bombs ing centre of Tsechuan has dropped, not only on Trieste, but ! fallen to the Communists after Moscow as well," said Rep Miller. At Washington, however, in an official denial of Rep. Miller's state-Meanwhile some 20,000 Comment, the Navy emphatically said petition munists are reported to have ranean was carrying atom bombs. reached a point only 10 miles In a second news conference; Rep. lot of the residents less uncom- Manus Island, north of New South-west of Tainan and 40 Miller said: "Three United States fortable miles south of Tainan on the battleships are in Trieste harbour. If things break out, we would them dropping atomic hombs within 48 hours,"-United Press

afternoon of General Chen Woman Tung-kuo, deputy-director of of the President's headquarters. Executed

Athens, Mar. 23. A guerilla woman, who es- noon, caped from gaol when her gendarme guard oloped with her, was executed today. Helen Nicolaou and

gerdarme lover, N. Vernickon, were captured on March 11 after three days of freedom. She was previously under sentonce of death. There were no ports on what has happened to petition of the Hong Kong Coun-Vernickos.

executed in Tripolis and ten. including the former editor Communist newspaper, Larissn .- Associated Press.

Not Self

A lengthy petition by Kal Tak airfield during the yesterday to Mr. R. R. Todd, Secretary for Chinese Af-Colonial Secretary and to

Service,

Charged Shanghal, Mar. 23. Dr. W. W. Yen, retired Chinese diplomat, appeared in court yesterday as defendant in an action brought by two voters for nullification of Dr. Yen's election to the Legislative Yuan on charges of irregularies. The complainants failed to ap- in Canton. peur, but the court heard Dr.

In the threatened famine at the Peninsula during the hotel strike on Sunday, residents filled the gap and tary-General of the Election the inner man. Above Mr. H. H. Rose is busy with a Office with responsibility for any glam and Mr. 8. IL Strange: with a Bottle.

Women s

The Executive Officers of the Hong Kong Council of Women were received in audience by the Minister of State for Colonial Affairs, the Right Honourable Lord towel yesterday

the representation of women on build a tube under the river. the giverning bodies of Colony in the proposed new discussed with Lord Listowel. Lord Listawel said that the cil cf. Women would meet with Three other persons were sympathetic consideration. He was glad to hear that women in the Coony had taken their share in public service and was unxious in to encourage them to continuo their efforts for the community

RESIGNATION OF REPORT PREMIER,

Shanghai, Mar. 23. Chinese afternoon newspapers, in identical Nanking despatches, insisted today that Premier Chang Chun had submitted his resignation to President Chiang Kal-shek, and said the Generalissimo has not yet decided whether to

whether the resignation was succeeding T. V. Coong. Nanking next Monday. Arst President under the con- government basis.

flation, increased, military on discredit the report the Tacak rich levies of the route to China from the near future.

VIETNAM GUERILLAS IN SOUTH CHINA FIGHTING Raids Reported In Two Areas

Shanghai, Mar. 23. About 3,000 Vietnam guerillas have joined forces with local brigands and Communists in South-West Kwangsi and are carrying out raids in the Tsingsi and Lungchow areas near the Indo-China border, according to a report appearing in today's American-owned Shanghai

Evening Post. report added, however, that these Vietnam forces, who were driven into Kwangsi by a French operation, are expected to withdraw completely into Indo-China again as the Foreign Legion, which occupied Tralinh on the

border, has retired to Caobang, in the south. to owe allegiance to President Shipping
He Chi-min, of the Vietnam believed to have his headquarters, somewhere about 100 miles from the Kwangsi border Rightist Control Nguyen Hai-than, Rightist

leader of Indo-China, is also reported to have some 3,000 men in Southern Kwangsi who were driven there by Ho Chi-jernment have received min's Vietnam troops about instructions from Nantwo years ago.

They were disarmed by the Chinese under orders of General over foreign shipping Chang Fah-kwei, then director along the sea coast of the of the President's headquarters province; according to

In Hong Kong

The report says that Nguyen, The instructions are said to Through his counsel, Dr. Yen who travels between Canton be the result of complaints pointed out that the plaintiffs and Hong Kong, has asked the that vessels flying foreign flags had admitted in their petition Chinese military authorities to have been found entering Chinthat defendant himself did not return the arms so that his ese ports without entry permits take any active part in the electiones may drive out Ho Chi- In future, if any foreign ship min's units on the Kwangsi enters a Chinese port not open

frontier Therefore, the action should forces are Communists working life. The vessel and all cargo be brought against the Election in close co-operation with the flicated, the paper added.

Office and not against the elect-Chinese Communist headquar- Any foreign vessel entering a ters on Shih Wan To Shan trading port without authority (Hundred Thousand Big Moun- will be fined, If it is considertain) on the border of Kwang- ed a serious case, the vessel therities, but said that he was tung, Kwangsi and Indo China: would be seized and confiscatnot a member of the Kuemin-In command of this Red ... hideout is said to he Liao

Sheng-chih, son of the late Liao Chung-kai, a Kuonintang leftist legder -- Reuter.

LORD MILNE

Field-Marshal Lord Milne

former Chief of Imperial

General Staff, died in his sleep

last night at his London home,

aged 81.—Reuter.

DEAD

London,-Mar.-23.

SHANGHAI TALKS OF TUNNEL

Dr. W.W.

Yen's defence and then adjourn-

ed candidate. The defence also

emphasised that Dr. Yen was a

qualified candidate as he was

neminated by the Central

taing Party.-Reuter.

Yen

Shaughai, Mar. 23. A study of plans to construct tunnel under the Whangpoo to connect the heart of Shanghai with Pootung has been revived by the City Government. It is understood that the The Hong Kong Council of Bureau of Public Works at pre-Wemen had proviously submitted sent is engaged in drafting a to His Excellency the Governor long-range plan calling for the a memorandum petitioning for use of American capital to Talks were initiated a year ago with the visit here of the Constitution and this petition was American engineer. Thomas Conway, of New York, but were subsequently dropped. However, with the growing indications that American aid may be thrown in the Government side in the Chinese civil

> Works again is showing interest in the proposal. The Bureau said the necesuty of finding room for Shanghal'a industrial and residential sections to expand necessitated some means of gotting across the river, and the bridge idea was thrown out due to objections of shipping interests,

war, the Bureau of Public

Japs Asking For Cotton

United Press.

Tokyo, Mar. 28. General Headquarters today announced that | private | traders The despatches fall to clarify | Yuan President last autumn. and cotton shippers interested lin selling raw cotton or cotton yesterday with an offer to re-submitted to clear the way for Speculation has been rife in waste to Japan have been in linquish her claims on Triesto a Government reorganisation Chinese political circles regard vited to submit samples to the which is expected after the ing the next Premier. The after- Japanese Government's official election of the President and noon paper, Hwa Mei Wan Pao, Board of Trade. spokesman Vice President and the enforce unconfirmedly claimed that To date, all wraw cotton rement of the constitution at the Chiang Kai-shek may give up quired by Japan had been pur remained at over CN\$4,000,000 in intensitying Shellow depressions are

> have submitted his resignation Executive Yuan Presidency SCAP's Foreign Trade Divi- trend of the other markets due to the current financial which is equivalent to the Pre- sion, said that by submitting The large-scale dumping of difficulties the worsening in migratip. Most political circles samples now, all shippers would United States war surplus Maximum eas see Fak. have an equal chance when goods on the Shanghal market Misterna 187.7 der. Feb. penditures, and bostacles in the Cother reports suggested that; private trade in raw cotton is by the Board of Speplies also sembles mit collection of taxes, windluding Ged Holying thin, at present opened, which is anticipated in falled to influence the com- salifall Trace Trees and Jam.

SPITFIRES FOR CHINA

With her decks stacked high with crated "Spitfire" aircraft and more than 600 tons of small arms anmunition in her holds, the 4,300-ton ss. "Lakeside" left harbour for Shanghal yes-

terday morning. The ship is carrying the third shipment of alceraft sold to the . Chinese Government by Canada, The "Lakeside" arrived on Monday and continued her voyage to Shanghai yesterday.

************* Caobang, in the south. The Victnam units at present KWangtung

Canton, Mar. 23. The Kwangtung Govking to tighten control the Tai Kwong Evening

to trade without prior permis-

ed.-Reuter.

C.H.R. ACCIDENT

Ten passingers were injured when a train plying between Canton and Kukong, on the Canton-Hank:w Line, Jumped the 'rails' at Wang Shek, north of Canton. on Sunday, according to Chinese press-reports-lest-night,-----

Seven carriages were derailed. London, Mur. 22. William Sale, the oldest man in Hertfordshire, celebrated his 103rd birthday tiday.—Reuetr

U.S. Dollar Drops In Shanghai

Shanghai, Mar. 23. Quotations for stocks and black market United States dollars, after sensational gains in the past several weeks, slid today following heavy remittances of funds from Shanghai to South China ports over the week-end.

less than four days ago. - living index of the previous Heavy declines were also month:

cent in the past 24 hours.

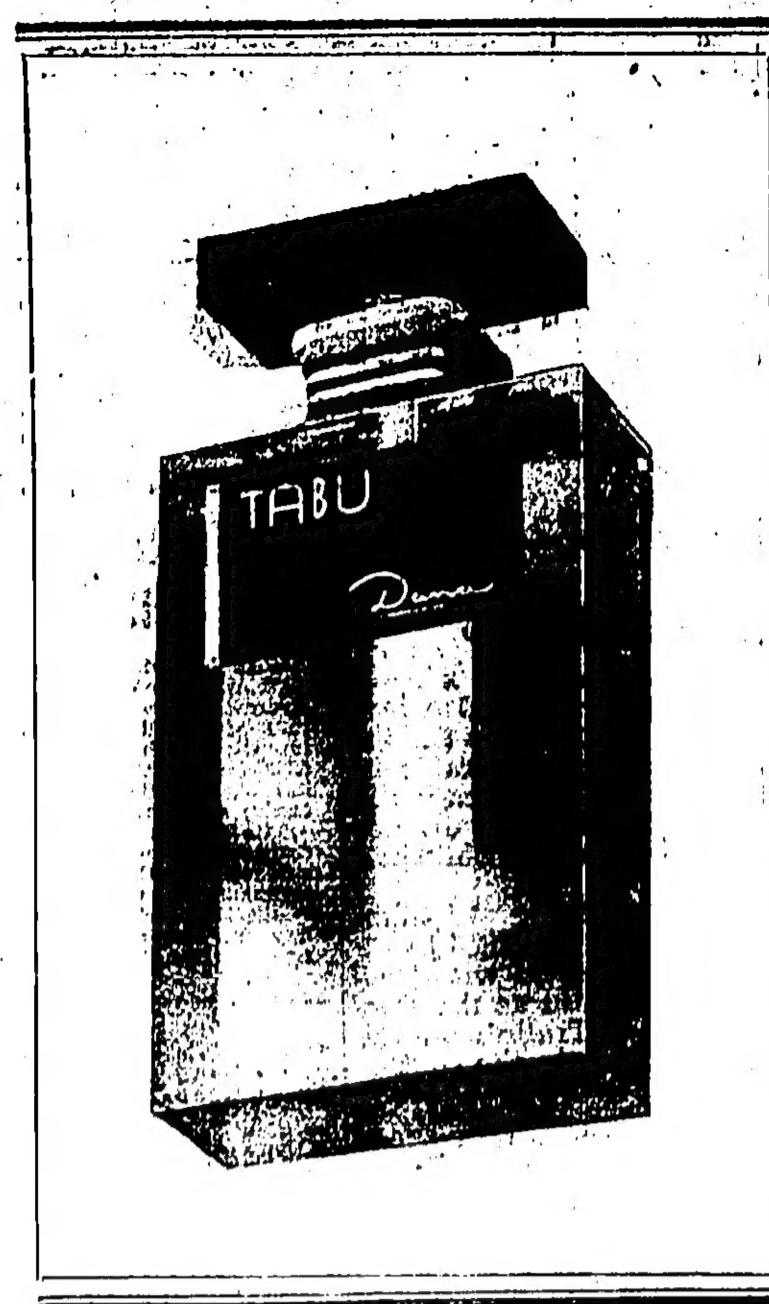
meanwhile scho black market ing on Friday.-Router. interest rates for Chinese dollars soaring to 40 per cent per muntic while dishonoured cheques during the past week totalled a diew record of The price of rice, however,

National Assembly opening in the honour of Lecoming, the chased on a government to per picul of 170 lbs as the stasted to the so Tokyo and to the sm commodity market failed Premier Chang could also stitution by assuming the Mr. Frank Pickelle, chief of react to the general downward

Black market United States | As a result of the listionwide, dollars, which touched a peak inflation, the Executive Yuan of CN\$5-10,000 last week, drop- is reported to have decided this ped to CN\$500,000, while gold morning to readjust the pay bars stood at about CN\$28,000,- lof Government employees reach 000 per ounce. CN\$4,500,000 | month according to the cost of

recorded on the stock market According to an official Conwhere Chinese and foreign tral New Agency report from dropped 10 to 15 per Nanking a draft plan will be forwarded to the State Council The shortage of funds has for adoption at its next meet-

Today's Torogast po-Trush , NE 7 winds. the afternoon, with Yesterday's Westler



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FISH CONTROL BRIBE CASE He Cast Alleged Payment To Health Inspector

Crown Witness's Evidence

That an Indian foreman of the markets had been colles Health Inspector who shortly after his appointment had visited the stalls in the Central Market and found some not to be in order, was alleged by Chan Kam, witness for the prosecution, when cross-examined by Mr. Bernacchi at Central Magistracy yesterday in the Fish Control Bribery case.

Pressed on the point witness

been newly appointed. The

money was paid to his children.

and found some stalls not in

Re-examined by Mr. Shaftain

witness said that the \$600 was

paid to an Indian. He did not

was a foreman in the market.

He did make a report to Mr.

The next witness. To King-

cheung, said that he was a

member of the Fish Stal

Shaftain about this

Fisherica.

Li Ki-man and Cho Wo-hin.

for first accused and the others were represented by Mr. J.C. Stewart, Mr. F.W. Shaftain is said that the inspector had prosecuting for the crown.

Chan Kam under cross- The newly appointed inspector examination by Mr. Bernacchi went round the market one day said that there were 11 laans in existence in 1946. They did order. This inspector had not have the monopoly of fish nothing to do with before the war.

It was right to say that the lanns advanced the money for the fishing equipment to the junks and he the result of the know if he was an Indian but Government's scheme they stood he looked like one. This man o lose millions of dollars. When the Government schome war int officed the laans held a me every but he did not know It was to subscribe to a "fighting fund" to combat the Government scheme.

He knew it was decided to ap- to ten at the Lan Hung Shung. penl to Government not so en- Cafe. First accused, a Portuforce the scheme. He did not guese and another were present. know that a big seizure of fish In the hearing of first accused had been made in January. He Chan Kam told him that with knew the four accused were ard the control of fish by Governrested and shortly after that he ment the laans would have a left for Canton in connection difficult time: Chan Kam hinted Monday except as unferitold by Mr. Shaftain that he all the laans in. Government to make it easier an association known as the clusive. for the lanns. One Tong Wah Hop Yick. Tong was formed. Mercantile Marine Office wil

a Portuguese inspector were \$50. A shroff was appointed present, was arranged by him: but he absconded after a while. Witness said that he paid the Two weeks later witness saw money over and others did the Chan Kam and first accused. brihery and therefore could not Chan Kam told first accused

rai Market. that he was asked there. He for nine months when witness trai on Monday. denied that at the meeting there resigned owing to ill health and was vague talk of a scheme another took over the post. which would be to the mutual benefit of those present. He money was to ensure that the denied that they talked about tish would not be selzed.

bribes. In reply to Mr. Stewart witness said that he recalled the arrangement made with the Fishery inspectors and that for two years there were no seizures

of fish. When it was put to bim. witness said that he did not go often to the pier where fish were landed. He was not afraid to do so. They would not be arrested by the Fishery inspectors. If the police wanted to arrest them they would evade arrest by sailing the boat away: This had been done once or twice. It was not necessary to evade the other inspectors as money had been pald. At the Central Market he was not afraid of arrest by the police on they had fokis at both ends. There were police on duty at the Central Market.

nagging at us to take a ride Vegetables and we had told them repented. Salt Cabbage ly, no, but they still persisted Tea
so we tried to make them no Salt Fish away forcibly and then the rish police came and charged us," Pork declared one of seven Canadian Firewood 10.0 The case is being heard by Questioned whether he had seamen who appeared at the Mr. A. J. Clifford. The de- paid bribes to other persons Central Magistracy yesterday fendants, who are charged with witness said that once \$600 was before Mr. A.J. Clifford on conspiracy and bribery, are paid to a European inspector; charges of creating a distur-and 'maliciously the date. It was last year. It 4:30 p.m.

totalling \$170. The defendants-Allan Mac-Isnac, J. Willis, W. Gilliespie: E. Olivera, K. More, R. Ross, and J. Jeasome, all seamen on board the S.S. "Lakeside"pleaded. "Guilty" to

charges. Insp. Brownrigg told court that defendants were trying to over turn rickshaws and stopping taxis.

would see the fines were paid, as defendants ship was due to sail for Shanghai today.

Owners 'Association. / Early in October Chan Kam invited him .550 or 20 days hard labour

MARINE DEPT. HOLIDAYS

The Marine Department will be closed on Friday, Saturday and with fish business. He denied that first accused would give Entry and Clearance Office that he returned to Hong Kong every facility if he were paid will be closed all day on Friday because of a message from the \$40 a day. If this was agreeable and open from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Police and that he had been it would be necessary to have on Saturday, Sunday, and Monday, Marine Licensing Office will told by Mr. Shaftain that he all the mans in.
(Mr. Shaftain) would ask A meeting was later held and Friday to Monday, both days in-

had made the suggestion. He Witness was appointed trea- by closed all day on Friday and denied that the meeting in surer and funds were obtained Sunday and open from 3 a.m. to M. Glucker.
1945, when first defendant and by each member subscribing 11 a.m. on Saturday and Monday. M. Glucker.

SNATCHER TO BE CANED

A sentence of nine months' hard labour, six strokes of the say who received bribes. He was that the laans recognised him cone and a recommendation for the chairman of the Fish Stall as the man and as a treasurer banishment was meter out to 17-Owners Association in the Cen- and been appointed he could go year-old Tsang Kam-shul by Mr. to the treasurer's house every F.X. d'Almada at Central yester-Regarding the meeting in ten days for the money. Chan snatching Miss Kwok Mel-or's 1945, which he denied was are Wing Kau came-every-ten-days wrist watch while she was walk: ranged by him, witness said for the money. This continued ing along Drs Vocux Road Cen-

It was further ordered by the Magistrate that in the event of defendant being certified unfit for the caning, then an additions months' imprisonment would ndded to his sentence. Inspector Moran prosecuted. The hearing was adjourned.

Discharged Foki Forged Receipt

Chau Man-cheung (23) was engaged by Sung Po- H.K. Tramways Co., Lid., annual chuen (51) of the Pekin Art Rug Co. on Jan.

General meeting, Jardine's Board Room, 12 noon. 31 as an assistant. On Feb. 17, Sung sold a carpet to Mr. A. L. Landsbert of 8 Humphrey's Building for \$900. This carpet was slightly damaged and, on March 13, the buyer asked Sung by letter to take the carpet back and refund the money to him.

This came to the knowledge | In the afternoon of March 17. Chat, who could read and a detective attached to the

The object of paying the

was discharged by Sung. At Johnston Road, Wanchai. He Psychology Class IV, European Mr. Landabert , to collect the by Chau Man-cheung for sale. carpet in order to veffect re-

Mr. Landsbert refused to hand over the carpet. This refusal was repeated when accused called at 10 a.m. the following into custody by the waiting morning. At 12 noon Chau went to Mr. Landsbert's residence Whilst engaged in inquiries Garden, M.K. Hotel, 9 pan. to and told Mrs. Landsbert that he

Gave Receipt

Mrs. Landsbert agreed to let shawan Road, second floor, and him do so provided he gave her that he had stolen a suit of a receipt for it. Chau produced Chinese clothing and a long the Pekin Art Bug Co., which Dec. 15 last. he signed and handed to Mrs. (Phia was related to Mr. W. H.

Tsimtsatsui - Police found the a.m. that day he went to was told that the rug. Was let

> When Chau went on the evening of March 18 to the auctioneer's room to inquire about the carpet he was taken

about the carpet, detectives wished to take the carpet away from the Taimteatsui Police Station discovered that Chau formerly lived at 258 Cheung

Latimer By Det Sub-Inspector of his foice for Mr. Landsberg Charged with Larcent by false with a chedge for \$000 and a pretences for ing a receipt request to have the carpet back vitaging the formed research and

FOOD AND FUEL FIGURES

week 'ending March 20, 1948; issued by the Labour Office, were gaming house,

as follows:---Bean Curd, '4 pieces

Mr. B.A. Bernacchi acted resides in the Central Market. a rickshaw, causing damage Personalia.

Grantham, will lay the founda- known as "Red-und Black" after tion stone of the Hong Kong she had lost \$40 she was per-Telephone Company's new building in Kowloon on

The ceremony will take place and Li fined \$5 for gambling in

Air Commodore S.N. Webster INCATIN C.B.E. A.F.C. Air Officer Cam-Mr. J. Wooley, agent for manding Hong Kong, arriver Dodwell and Co., said that, the back in the Colony by air yesterdantage would be paid by the day afternoon from Singapore. ship's company and that he where he has been visiting Headquarters, Air Command Far East

Mrs. H. C. B. Way (now siding with her Sister, Lady Shen-Mr. Clifford said he was ton, at Ne. 3 The Boltons, S. W. taking into consideration the 10; has announced the Marriage fact that the damage had been of her daughter, Elizabeth, to Mr yesterday when Tze Fa, married made good and fined accused Peter Laurence of Christ Church Oxford, at Holy Trinity, Brompton, on Saturday, April 10, and nt. Th in . '14, Prince's Gar, dens, S. W. 7

> Mr. Henry Felton Hopkins, Mer-Cantile Assistant, 2 May Roud, Hong Kong; to Miss Betty Louise Rea, Stenographer, Helcha May Institute, has been unnounced.

Hotel yesterday included Messrs. Lingdon, Watson, Nunes, Eliand Tregaskle. Departures included Mr. and Mrs. Fenichel. 'Mr, and, Mrs. , Aurell, Mr. 'and Mrs. A.C. Smith, Mr. G.E. Von Echn, Dr. J.P. Patterno and Mrs.

Departures from the Hong Kong Hotel yesterday included Mr. E.D. Sutan and Mr. W.B.E.

KOWLOON LAND SALE

New Kowloon Inland Lot Nos. Clearwater Bay as from April 1.

3515-and-3516,—at Castle Penk
Road, New Kowloon, will be sold and deaths occurring in that disby Public Auction at the Offices trict. Thursday April 1, at 3 p.m. The brea, of N.K.I.L. No. 3615 is about 210,200 sq. ft, and that of N.K.I.L. No. 3516 is about 208,750 sq. ft. The annual rentals \$5,950 and \$5,750 respectively Tho upset price of both lots is

Keminders Today

annual general meeting, Exchange Building, 12 noon.

K. Bingers tendition of "Handel's 'Mestigh," 'Bt. Paul's 'Church,

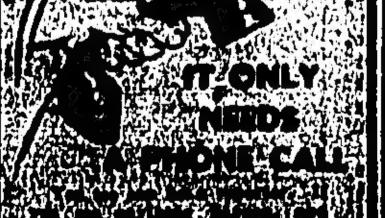
Falk on Conditions in German

ofter the War, By Maj. Gen. G.W.E.J. Erskine, European YMOA, West-Lounge, \$.30 p.m. Engineering Society of Hong Kong, talks on "Modern Developments in Mechanical & Bleetrical Engineering" by E. McA. Keown & W. A. Ankerson, Jacobean Room,

Y.M.C.A., Women's Section; talk on "The Complete Life" by Capt, A.E. Luff. 2.30 p.m. nb-British Club Symphony Orches; era, St. John's Chihedral, 6; p.m. Coming Events

Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club Dance. C.B.S. Dinner. Cabaret Dance, Roof

The Governor, officiates at laying oundation score of HIK. Telephone Company's new building No. 1 Cameton Road Kowlopp.



A Spell

"I do not know what the man has done but he seemed to have cast a spell over me," Li Shuke tsing, 80-year-cld married woman, told Magistrate W. H. Lalimer a. Kowloon vyesterday when testify-The food and fuel costs for the ing against Law Kin-wun (22), cek ending March 20, 1948, charged with keeping a common

> about 11 a.m. on March 21 L made a report at the Water Polle. Station to the effect that she had lost \$40 and a gold finger ring while gambling on board the s/ "Man Chi" on the trip from Hang Kong to Kowloon at 9.20

Inspector J. Orem said that

Detestive 797 Yu Tung war ent with her to locate the keeper of the goming school. They waited at the Mong Kok ferry whorf for the arrival of the "Man

mibarked, the woman painted out Law as one of a number of

According to the weman, Law, The Governor, Sir Alexander with a woman not in custody,

a common gaming school.

The danger of putting up additional electrical installations was again emphasised in Mr. W. A. H. Blair-Kerr's Court at Kowloom warman, was charged with having additional electrical installations without the permission of the China Light and Power Co. Ltd. Inspector F. Roberts told the Court that the matter came to of the notice of the Tsun Wan 1 Police as the result of an accident. which nearly proved fatal.

befordant is the owner of a stall in the Tsun Wan Market, On March 22, one of her fokis, Lai Char-chung, went on to the tin roof the Gloucester of the stall and was nearly elec-

trocuted. zulde, Friedman, Lian, Lardizabel found that additional connections had been made to the installation. Some of these were faulty, while other wires were uncovered. One of the bare with cume in contact with the tin-roof-while

Lui was on it and nearly killed the man. The shock 'caused' the meter to "blow out." , Imposing a fine of \$150, with another \$50 for the meter. Mr. Blair-Kerr warned defendant not to do it again and to pass the

warning to her fellow stall-A Births & Denths Registry will be established in the Seventh Day Adventist Mission School at

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LISTOWEL MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

No Justification For Complaint

As far as Chinese representation is concerned, there is no justification for dissatisfaction with the proposed constitution of the projected Municipal Council for Hong Kong, declared Lord Listowel in reply to written questions submitted to him by the local Chinese press.

Following are the questions submitted by the Wah Kiu Yat Po," "Sing Tao Jih Pao," and the "Hwa Hsiang Pao," and the answers given by Lord Listowel:—

Along what channels is the Chiang Kai-shek has once considered by the Salaries Comrelf-government of Hong Kong said that China would negotiate mission. I agree with the regoing to be realised? and how for the restoration of Hong commendations." long will this take? The Chin- Kong. Has Britain any intenege do you think such dissatis- this question." faction is justified?

"The main line of constitutional advance for the peoply of Hong Kong is the Municipal Young consulted local opinion. tury of State and some modifi- ships with China." rations made. In addition the proved Sir Mart Young's pro- ernment has large schemes for Kong which was to take place until completion of the comfor dissatisfaction with the these plans? proposals."

will last?

The Dollar

There has been a much larger! circulation of Hong Kong dollars after the war. Is there to occupy the first place. Indus | maining half of the allocation, any likelihood that the rate between the H.K. dollars and the pound sterling will be revised? "Not as far as I know."

In his speech to the Council problem? the Financial Secretary revealed that the Government intends has the intention to make Hong prices." Kong a front line base against the Communists?

"The airfield proposals are a civil airfield. Hong Kong is and other regions? not's base or front line against "I am all in favour of the

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at the too small representation | "I came to Hong Kong for ing on to turn over the military Chinese and that most of the matters of policy. You will not matter is progressing? revenue comes from the Chin- therefore expect me to answer

The Territories

Council. Before he made his gial and otherwise with China? ment and the local Naval and woman member asked that she "I do not understand this Military Authorities have been be exempted and the request question since Great Britain restarted." His recommendations were care- and Hong Kong already have After the re-occupation the fully considered by the Secre- commercial and other relation- British Government decided to panelled, a number of other

Secretary of State also ap several occasions that the Gov further development of Hong been called remained in Court resal that there should be an comprehensive development of in the next ten years; what is plainant's testimony. unofficial majority in Legisla- the New Territories. It seems the position now? tive Council. I do not consider little has been done as yet. Can That there is any justification you elucidate us on some of

How long do you think this done for the development in Plans for about one half of this post war boom of Hong Kong the New Territories but still amount have already been formore remains to be done. I warded by the Government of "I understand that the post- Auggest that you read the Hong Kong to the Colonial war boom is already over, but Covernor's speech to Legisla- Office, where they are at prehope that conditions in the tive Council on March 19, sent being examined prelimin-Colony will remain prosperous." where he indicated what had ary to their consideration by

Have you been aware of this finalises plans for development

trade with Japan occupies first necessary to make an alteration to allot 4 million dollars to place in . Hong Kong's trade, or amendment to the two Orstart with to build an up-to- From what I have seen here I dinances, legislated recently for date airfield. Has this plan do not think that local indus- the regulation of Trade Unions been decided and is this intend- trialists have anything to fear and the settlement of debts in-

Military Lands

What do you think of at-present-under-consideration - future-development-of-trade in London. The airfield will be with Japan, Annam. Malaya Colonies, is fair and will be

development of trade between How long do you think the countries of the Far East."

present rationing system will. The question of long leave last and how would you account equal treatment and promotion for the repeated increase in of able staff to higher posts price of rationed rice and flour? have been brought before you in it." "Rationing will have to con- your meeting with representatinue so long as world short- tives of the Chinese civil serages exist. The reason for the vants. Can you enlighten us on Increases in price is the rise in some of the aspects of these cost in the producing countries." questions?

GODOWN CO'S

Directors of the Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., announce that, subject to audit, they will recommend, at the forthcoming annual general meeting of shareholders, payment of a dividend of \$12.00 per share (less.tax) in respect of the

************* ."These matters were fully

year 1947.

the centre of Victoria was post- quired whether or not any of

Trade Unions

"The Hong Kong allocation from the Colonial Development "Quite a lot has already been and Welfare Fund is £1,000,000 been done and what it was pro- the Legislative Council in Hong posed to do in the New Terri- Kong. These plans deal mainly with development in the New Trade with Japan has come Territories. As regards the retrialists are of the opinion that the Hong Kong Government is influx of Japanese goods are a awaiting the report of 'Sir menace to local industries. Patrict Abercrombie before it

in the urban areas." "It is not correct to say that Does your Lordship consider if munity?

> "I consider that the Trades Union . Ordinance, which is based on the laws in the United Kingdom and other British found of considerable benefit to workers. The debtor and creditor legislation took two years to work out after very full consideration. Unless therefore there were very strong reasons should not favour altering

LORD LISTOWEL ENTERTAINED

The Earl of Listowel, Becreof State for Colonial Affairs, . was guest of honour at a cocktail party given at the Hong Kong Club last night by the Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce and the Chinese Chamber of Commerce.

Lord Listowel was greeted on arrival by Mr. C. C. Roberts Tung Cheping-wal Chairmen of the respective Chambers. Nearly 800 guests members of the Chambers with their wives, attended.

Li Tak, who was convicted by Mr. F.X. d'Almada at Central tain pen from Mr. A.E. Osborne, ed when her husband fell down. hours for his record to be pro- trict, to give this "lucky money? offende and was sentenced to nine months' imprisonment i with a recommendation for banish After the jury had returned

Found gullty by a jury on a charge of having carnal knowledge of Wong Man, 36-year-old. married woman, at 173 Pelho Street, ground floor, on Jan. 20, without her consent, Chan Cheung, 28, shop assistant, was yesterday sentenced by Mr. Justice T. J. Gould (Puisne Judge), to four years' imprisonment with hard labour.

Accused's wife, who testified on his behalf, explained that a packet of "luck money" containing 40 cents, a pair of artificial flowers and a piece of red cloth, given by her to complainant, were usually given, according to the custom of their district in China, to people who had been frightened by a dog or a pig.

Mr. J. Reynolds, assisted by asked accused whether he had It was revealed a few months | Det. Insp. C. Dowman, conduct- anything to say. Accused asked one are generally dissatisfied tion to part with this Colony? ago that negotiations were go- ed the case for the prosecution. for a fine or a light sentence. Before the jury was sworn Mr. Justice Gould, sentencat the intended Municipal Coun- the express purpose of making lands and the Royal Naval Yard in, Mr. Justice Gould drew the ling accused to four years' imcil, in view of the fact that over myself familiar with conditions to the civil authorities. Can attention of the women mem- prisonment with hard labour, of the population are in the Colony and not to discuss you enlighten us as to how the bers to the fact that the case said that this was a crime OUR STORE IS OPEN UNTIL 6.00 P.M. DAILY, was one of rape and that cer- which, in the eyes of the law, "The question of the removal tain unpleasant details would could not be regarded as light of the Naval Yard and of the be mentioned in the course of enough to be met with a fine or Military. Establishments from the hearing. He therefore cu- a light sentence. If not, what are her plans to poned by the war. Discussions the women members would have the dock, accused said that he establish relationships commer. between Hong Kong Govern- any objection to serving. One would appeal.

> After the jury had been emallot a grant to Hong Kong Gov. women who had been aummoned It has been revealed on ernment of £100,000 for the for jury service but had not

Given Package

was granted.

In the course of his opening. Mr. Reynolds said that the complainant was a married woman, the kit-fat wife of Pu Manshing. She came to Hong Kong with her husband in Feb 1947. She lived in a wooden shed in the backyard of 178 Peiho Street. Her husband carned a living in Shum Chun and visited Hong Kong once or twice a month.

On Jan. 19, complainant went to bed at about 10 p.m. and was awakened at about 4 a.m. the next morning by someone pressing on her. There were no lights at the time.

She tried to cry out, but the person pressing her told her to keep quiet and say nothing. She recognized the voice as that of accused. The alleged improper offence then took place. After some five minutes, accused left W.E. Parrott, Mr. W. Richardand went to his own room. She followed him and shouted Atienza and Mr. Reynalde ed airfield meant to serve mili- from Japanese competition, pro- curred during the occupation "Aunt, aunt!" but received no the Trustee Company of the of war? is it true that Britain prices in line with world jection in the Chinese Com reply. She then returned to her own shed and went to sleep. Students in

The next morning, she spoke to accused's wife concerning the incident and received a package Court containing 40 cents lucky A one of \$50 each was imposed money," a pair of ertificial on So Chi-chung and Chang Kaflowers and a piece of red cloth, chi, students, when they appearsymbols of apology for some ed at Central Magistracy yesterwrong done. When her husband day. First defendant was chargreturned from Shum Chun on ed with ellowing an unlicenced Feb. 8, she told him about it. driver to drive his car and second At 9 p.m. the following day, a licence. Both accused plended report was made to the Sham- | "Guilty." shuipo Police Station and act. Insp. G.N. Senior said that he cused was subsequently ar was proceeding along Queen's

Accused's Statement

the Crown, accused (in the the car and asked defendant for course of a statement from the his licence. He was given the dock) alleged that the offence took place with the consent of second defendant was driving. complainant He also alleged that on two previous occasions he had had improper relations with her. Accused further alleged that complainant had told him that her husband had no love for her and that was the reason why she desired innaked him for money from time to time.

Ting Luen, accused a wife said—that—complainant—askyesterday for the larceny of a foun- because she had been frightenand who was remanded for 21 It was gustomary, in their disduced was found to have a pro- and the other items when a vious conviction for a similar person had been frightened by a dog or a pig.

their verdict. Mr. Justice Could

BY ALEX RAYMOND

As he was being led from

Mr. Joaquin 'M. Elizalde, Philippine Ambassador to the United States of America, year the guest of honour at a Tiffin given at the Cafe de Chine yesterday by Senator V. Madri-

Mr. Elizalde, who enjoys the distinction of being the first Philippine Ambassador to the United States, arrived by plane yestorday.

Among the large number of guests present were: Mr. D.M. MacDougail, Mr. George D. Hopper, Mr. E.D. Bejasa, Mr. Rene Guillanme, Mr. Sompong Bunnag, Mr. R.E. Jobez, Mr. Einar Ulstrup, Mr. Eduardo Brazao, Mr. C. Brookhart, Mr. Pedro Botelho, Jnr. Mr. A. S. Adamson, Mr. W.M. Simmons, Mr. J. M. Morhaus, Mr. D.J. Gilmore, Mr. T.B. Wilson, Mr. F. Kendall, Mr. A.J. Enmondt, Mr. Fred Simonsen. Mr. A. Carvalho, Mr. Alvaro da Roza, Mr. Ramon Pamintuan, Mr. son, Mr. V. Kendrick, Dr. V. N. Laidizabai.

defendant with driving without a

Road when he saw a car in front of him travelling very slowly. It looked as though the driver was On conclusion of the case for not sure of himself, He stopped licence, of first accused wh

metre band from 12.15 to 1.80, 10.80

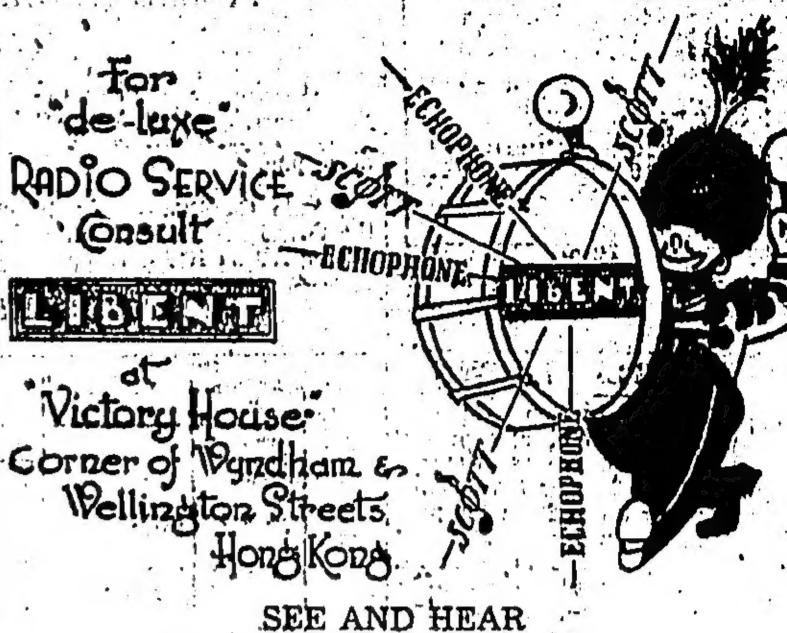
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1.02 n.m. Bing Crosby and The Andrews Blatery. 1.15 p.mi Noire, Weather Report in

All p.m.-Orchestral Interlude. 1.20 p.m .- From the Shows ... 2.00 p.m.-Close Down 5.00 p.m .- Programine Stimmery b.01? p.m .- Btudies a Children's . Hate: Ha

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NOTICE TO

Yearly Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Company, Exchange Building, Des Voeux Road Central, Vic-Yearly Meeting of the Sharo toria, Hong Kong, on Wednesday, 24th March, 1948, NOON for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with the Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1947, and to elect Directors and The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from

elect Directors and Auditors. 1948; to Wednesday, the 24th March, 1948, both days inclu-By Order of the Board

Directors:

COURT OF

IN THE GOODS MARIAM or MARIAN ABBAS late of the Indian Destitutes Centre Yeung Choi Street, Kowloon in the Colony Hong Kong Widow deceas-

All creditors and others are Secretary, accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the under-Hong Kong, 18th March, 1948. signed on or before that date.

A EI ARCULLI. Solicitor for the Official the said deceased. Hongkong.

ALSO GIVEN that the Register of Members of the Com-(Easter Holidays).

NOTICE

Wednesday, 24th March, 1948

CONDUCTOR:

the Fifty ninth Ordinary Yearwill be held at the Offices of SOLOISTS: the Company, Chung Tin Building, First floor, 5, Dec.

(Soprano) (Contraito) -eric-small-

Further particulars from

of the Board of Directors, SHEWAN TOMES & CO., LID.

I. W. SHEWAN, Director General Managers. Hongkong, 10th March, 1948.

SILAREHOLDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Forty-eighth Ordinary holders in the Company will be held at the Company's Office, Windsor House, Mezzanine Floor, Hong Kong, on Thursday 15th April, 1948, at 11. A.M. for the purpose of receiving. the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts for the year ended 81st December, 1947, to sanction the declaration of a Wednesday, the 10th March, Dividend and Bonus and to re-

> Company will be closed from 1948, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of G. MILNE, Secretary.

Hongkong, 22nd March, 1948.

IN THE SUPREME HONG KONG

PROBATE JURISDICTION

ance 1897 made an Order limit- all complicated (e.g., where the He referred to the following ing the time for creditors and others to send in their claims pany will be closed from the against the above estate to the 8th day of April, 1948,

Dated the 15th day of March,

Administrator of the Estate of Kayamally Building, 2nd floor,

BANK HOLIDAYS.

The Exchange Banks will be closed for the transaction of public business on Friday Saturday and Monday, the 26th, 27th and 29th March, 1947 Hongkong, 24th March, 1948.

HONG KONG SINGERS

A performance of Handel's Messiah will be given tonight. at 9.00 P.M. in St. Paul's Church, Glenealy.

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SHARE APPLICATION

Of Importance To The Community

The application by the On Lok Yuen Co., Ltd., for leave to rectify its Register of Members in respect of 20,089 shares issued to "appease the Japanese" was dismissed yesterday by Mr. Justice E. H. Williams (Chief Justice).

Mr. Justice Williams said that it was all the more important that this case be not tried in a summary manner because of its importance to the community, in view of the fact that somewhat similar cases might arise in the near future with a basket containing three for decision.

Mr. H.G. Sheldon. K.C., applicant seeks to enforce res- pair of leather shoes and a pair instructed by Mr. E.S.C. Brooks cision of his contract to take of leather slippers.

This woman told the detective of Messrs. Hustings & Co., ap- shares on the ground of mis- that defendant had given her the The Transfer Books of the peared for The On Luk Yuen representation and witnesses articles that morning on board a Co., Ltd. The application was may have to be examined, and demolished lighter, 1st April, 1948, to 15th April, opposed by Mr. H.A. de Barros | liftle delay will not much Inquiries showed that the ar-

> Justice Williams said:applicant Company seeks, under 664. Under the present practice, traced. section 100 of the Companies a question can be tried in a Ordinance, 1932, to have its re- more satisfactory manner in an

the removal of the name of Yu summons. Where there is a Pong Tong as holder of 20,089 question which cannot properly shares and other relief. be tried on summons or motion. "The power of the Court urthe summons or motion should der the section is discretionary. and the question is whether I judice to any action which the applicant may commence. Re

should use my discretion under the circumstances to grant it. Greater Brit in Products The following passage from Corpn. 40 T.L.R. 488. Palmer's Company Precedents (15th edition) p.1208 summarises briefly rules - for the present case is clearly one 'guidance:where I should exercise my

Submission "'Whether in any particular re Imperial Chemical Indus-

case it is desirable to apply by tries (1988) 2 A.E.R. 463. motion under this section, or to the other hand, the Crown Solibring an action, must depend citor submitted that on the on the circumstances. In a sim- authority of In re Ruby Conple case, where an immediate solidate Mining Company Notice is hereby given that rectification is essential, it may (1879) 9 Ch. App. 664 and Rethe Court has by virtue of Sec- be desirable to apply under the Greater Britain Products Corpn, tion 58 of the Probates Ordin- section; but if the case is at 40 T.L.R. 488, I should refuse.

Engineering Society Of Hong Kong

TALKS

MODERN DEVELOPMENTS IN MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL to bring his action.' ENGINEERING

will be given by Mr. A. McA. Keown and Mr. W. A. Ankerson

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24th full particulars of any alleged view of the fact that somewhat at 6 p.m.

THE DIOCESAN SCHOOL OLD BOYS'

in the Jacobean Room of the

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Committee. The Annual General Meeting will also be held at the same

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Stolen From

Lo Kam, unemployed, was labour to be itollowed by two years' Police ! supervision, when. he pleaded guilty bef. re Mr. W.H. Latimer at Kowloon yesterday to

a charge of larceny. Det,-Inspector Hemsley said that Detective L/C 802 was on patrol duty at Reclamation Street near Dundas Street at 4.15 p.m. on March 20 when he saw defendant approaching the stairway of No.

As accused was behaving in a very suspicious manner. The detective went up and quesiwood him. While the interrogation was: taking place a woman came up articles of woman's clothing, a

Botelho, Acting Crown Solici- matter), an action should be ticles were stolen by the accused or.

Delivering judgment, Mr.

Block Diamond Co., 59 L.T.

Typhoon Shelter. The junk hall since sailed away and the owner

"In this notice of motion, the "In this notice of motion, the Mining Co. (1874), 9 Ch. App. of the articles could not be

gister of members rectified by action than upon a motion or my discretion to rectify under section 100 of the Ordinance

when the case is clear.

"A study of the facts in the English cases does not materialbe dismissed, but without pre- ly help as the facts in the present case are peculiar, arising as they did out of a state of affairs existing when the enemy was in occupation of the Colony. It is common knowledge that at the time the owners of some businesses were only too anxious to work with the discretion. In support, he cites Japanese in order to make profits: Other business, men did all in their power to avoid any dealings with the enemy. In making these observations. I wish it to be understood that I am not criticising the conduct of the applicant: Company, or expressing any opinion on the merits of the case. Here duress in some form or other applied by the Japanese is alleged. This is not a simple question but is somewhat complicated. A little delay in deciding the matter la Where it was clear there was not material. From the two. something to be answered and affidavits filed by the director something to be investigated of the Company which are the ordinary course, as far back rather meagre and somewhat as the Court had been able to conflicting, I am unable to say times, had been for the Judge to that this is a clear - case for dismiss the summons or motion, rectification. I consider that but leave it open to the party there is something to be answered and something to be "In coming to a decision, I investigated in connection with must bear in mind that the the existence of the name Yo evidence on notice of motion is Pong Tong as holder of the by way of affidavit though the 20,089 shares in the Company. opposing party may ask for the It is the more important " that affirmant to be ealled for cross- this case be not tried in a sumexamination. In an ordinary many manner because of its.imaction, there are pleadings and portance to the community, in

duress, fraud atc. can be ob- similar cases may arise in the tained. At the hearing of the ac- near future for decision. tion, the evidence is given viva "I therefore hold that the apvoce and the Court has ample plication must be dismissed but opportunity of observing wit- without prejudice to the apnesses when giving their evi- plicants' right to bring an ac-

EASTER HOLIDAYS

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dence. I should only exercise tion."

"Counsel for the applicant

Company has submitted that

statement by Swift J. in the

Peculiar

latter case:

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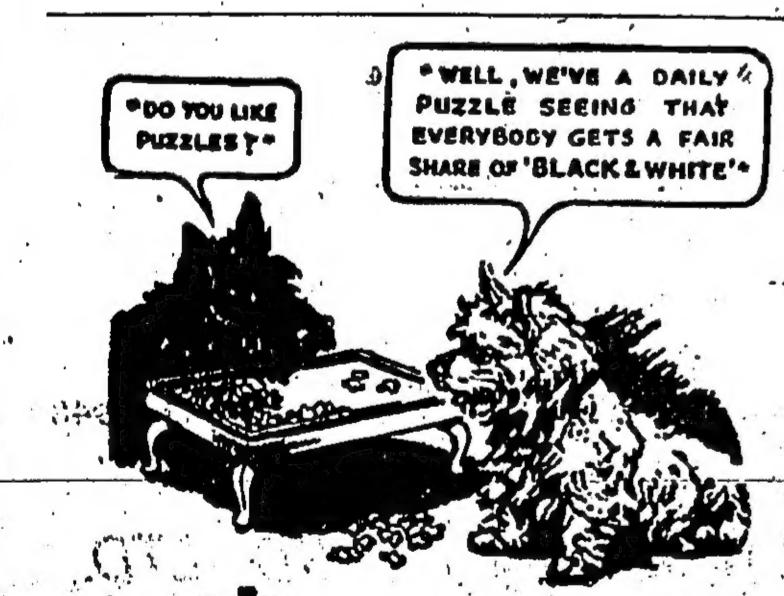
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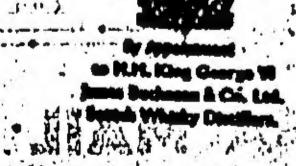
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Boycott Of "United Europe" Talks Go Through Selsdon Park, Mar. 22.

Prague, Mar. 22.

M. Klement Gottwald,

Communist Premier of

Czechoslovad genera

within the time fixed by

with the regulations.

elections would "say the

M. Gottwald said:

and would confirm the victory

gramme will be disappointed.

No atrong opposition can de-

"We have, however,

Germans and so on.

Soviets

Tighten

reported today.

Unity Party.

Up Guards

The Soviet military authori-

ties in Germany have given in-

structions to tighten the fron-

tier control along, the border.

of the Zone, the French-licenced

Detachments manning the

frontier posts from the Baltic

to Fichelgebrige, on the borders

of Bavaria and Czechoslovakia.

have been reinforced with new

recruits, the newspaper re-

A chain of blockhouses and huts has been built in the forest

areas west of Magdeburg, in

the Hartz Mountains, and in

Thuringia, and checks on trains

in the frontier areas have been

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Berlin newspaper, Der Kurier,

Berlin, Mar. 23.

The International Socialist Conference here on the European recovery programme today unanimously decided to boycott the "United Europe" Conference at The Hague next May. It called a rival Congress of European Socialist Parties in Paris for April 25 to determine their policy and "coordinate their efforts towards a united Europe.'

Czechoslovakia, today gates from 14 European countries, ministration must not interfere with confirmed that the by reactionary politicians if the So- mine their own social and economic cialists place themselves at the head policies." elections would be held of the movement for-its realisation." law and in accordance on the main subject of the Conference-the Marshall Plan programme-the joint declaration said it was orgent until a United States of In an interview with an Am-Europe was established that the 16 correspondent. nations concerned in the plan should quoted by the Czechoslovak "strengthen the existing common arnews agency, he said that the ganisation in Paris so that a colleclast tive policy may be presented to the

word on the events of February United States Government." The declaration called for the exof the people and the defeat of tension of international planning in Europe "If European economic inter-"Those dependence is to achieve the necessary expression and not least to who expect strong opposition minimise the temptation to secesagainst the Government pro- sion."

Colonies

velop because the opposition Saying that European unity "canelements have no hope of winnot rest on economic factors afone" ning over the people's symbut must express "spiritual and in tellectual community", the declaration stated that the Spanish people were reckon with a certain uncon- prevented from cooperating in the structive and subversive op- organisation of European unity "only porition from those of whom by the survival of the Franco re our new order was rightly af- gime."

rected, the former capitalist "The resources of overseas territories directly associated with Europe landowners, persons compromired by collaboration with the advantage of Europe as a whole and "It is more than likely that cerned," it added,

this small section of the po-In view of Europe's economic inpulation will try to mar the terdependence, the declaration resuccess of our work."-Reuter, gretted "the refusal of Russia and of the Eastern European countries under her control to take part in the programme."

The declaration said ERP should countries already taking part, and the newspapers said. European recovery aid in both -Reuter.

A joint declaration by the dele- American parties agree that the adsaid: "The idea of European unity the democratic rights of the Eurocan only be saved from corruption pean peaples to control and deter-

Harmonious

The best machinery would be inadequate unless planned and controlled "in the interests of the whole Island's financial problems, people and according to the princlples of democratic Socialism," Executive Committee of the British laken by the British Cabinet.

"There were no deep divisions! among us," he added .- Reuter, .

Kidnapping Mysteries. Vienna

Another supposed kidnapping case in a series of mysterious disappearances of Viennese citipapers here today. Red Paper

M. Hubert Diliberger, a local official of the People's Party and district leader of the Association Accuses of Austrian Democratic Fighters for Liberty, was said to have foreigners in a motor car; As is typical in these cases, M.

Dollberger was served with an order to attend the local police headquarters to give evidence. He entered a car, which was driven off without trace.

countries on the same terms as to the police order bore a forged stamp, added: "The Conference notes with All attempts to trace the miss-

strong approval that the sponsors of ing men have falled completely.

Land Reforms In Czechoslovakia

Prague, Mar. 23. Czechoslovak Parliament, fired with Communist enthusiasm, enacted a land reform measure at an extraordinary Sunday session.

50 hectares are being confiscated. 245,735 in two weeks. Among them were said to be an opportunity to acquire the total membership, but that in excess acreage under favourable Progue was given as 284,000, mostly members of the Socialist terms.

The set of new agricultural laws also reformed the system of land taxation and previded Government loans for small farmers.
Communist legislators called the measure "the final victory of

the peasants over the entrenched landiords," Rudolf Slansky, General Sceretary of the Communist party, told a party meeting at Morav-

ska Ostrave that 93 percent of Czechoslovak industry will be nationalised in a matter of weeks. He said legislation to provide nationalisation of all undertakings employing more than 50 persons will be ready for Parliamentary consideration in two weeks. He

predicted prompt passage.

Premier Gottwald's campaign to brought in 55,597 new members, party, headquarters announced on

All land holdings in excess of Membership was increased by

Associated Press.

Resign

London, Mar. 22. Failing a £500,000 food sub-sidy by Britain from the end of month, Malta's Socialist Government may resign and hand responsibility for runthe island back to the British Government, informed quarters here said today.

The Colonial Secretary, Mr.

Arthur Creech Jones, is expected this week to have discussions with Malta's Prime Minister. Dr. Paul Boffs, who arrived in Lond:n last night to discuss the So far, no meetings have been arranged, and no decisions about Dr. Hugh Dalton, a member of the Malta's problems have been

Labour Party, who presided at the Malta's present food subsidy of two-day Conference, tonight describ. £450,000 expires this month. ed the proceedings as "very har- Many Maltese expect that, as a result, food prices and wages will rise and economy be upset, including plan to introduce income tax to

finance social services. It is suggested in some quarters that the setting up of an econ: mie general staff in London, with representatives from Malta and the Home Government, may he proposed,

Official quarters disclaim any knowledge so far of this proposal.—Reuter.

Moscow, Mar. 28. The Soviet trade union paper, Trud, today accused Holland of "sabotaging" patriation of Soviet citizens alleging that some displaced The local police deny any persons were being sent to remain open to the East European knowledge of the case and the Canada and Brazil after being "herded in slave markets".

The paper said: "Whenever the question of repatriation of Soviet citizens is taken up in a practical aspect, the Dutch authorities give assurances that they are doing everything in their power.

"But these are only words, and words." Alleging that Dutch Mennonites (a minority .- Protestant sect) were responsible for recruiting Soviet citizens for work in other countries. Trud said they had set up a special camp for displaced persons in which men, "torn away from their homeland, are herded as in oldtime slave labour markets, to be sent to Canada, Brazil, Uruguay and other

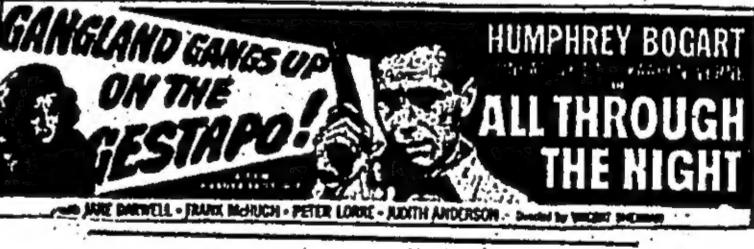
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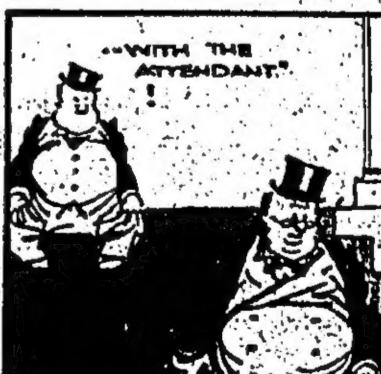
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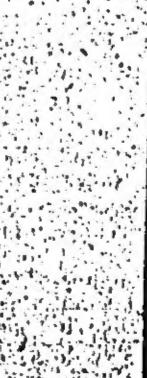
POP DIDN'T YOU SEE THAT NOTICE PROFESSOR --Merle Oberon .* Turhan Bey

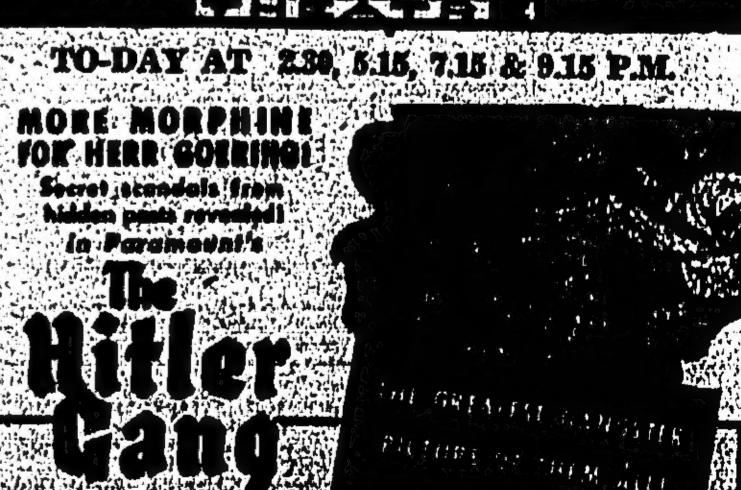




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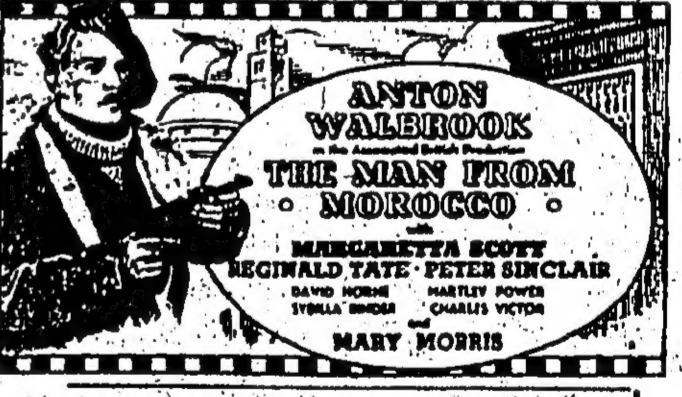
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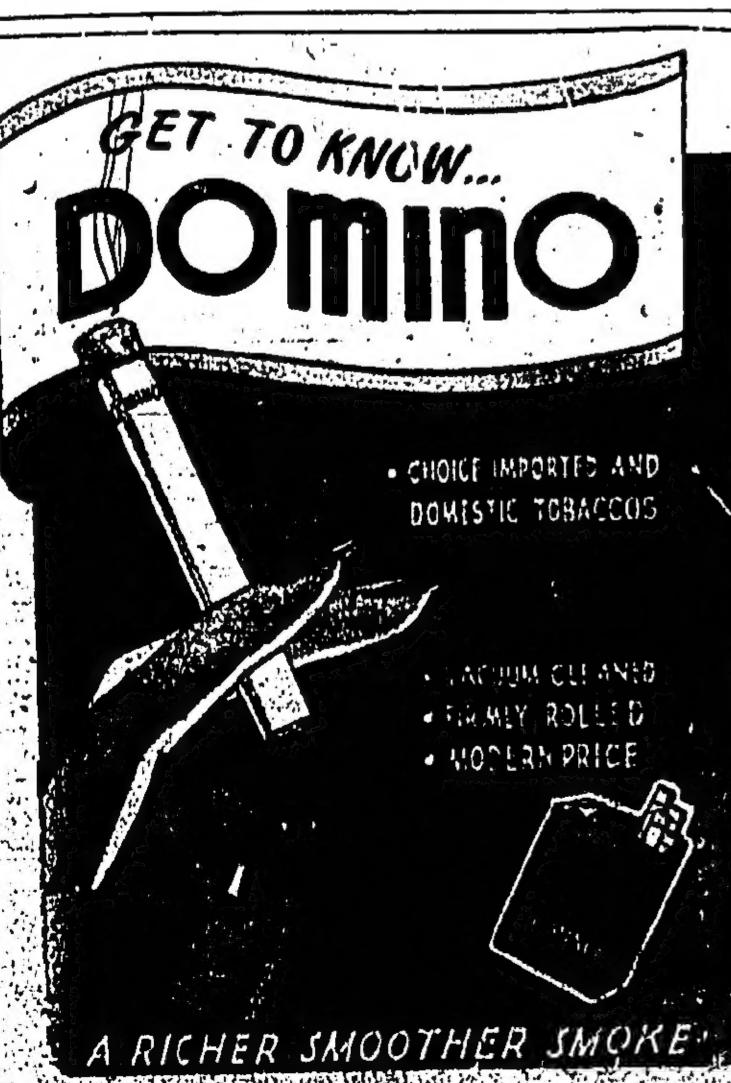
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BIRTH

Hospital on 23rd March, Anne (nee Harris), wife of J. L. Marden, twin daughters.

INFLATED LAND **VALUES**

Possibly at some time or other somebody will reap the whirlwind. In the meantime, Hong Kong's inflated land values are bringing in fat returns to the Treasury and there is rather more indication that this is being treated as matter for elation than that it is being, more appropriately, treated as a subject of concern.

There is, in fact, small cause for official complacency in the sale that this enables them to strike ing. at auction on Monday of a parcel at the very heart of our troops. of 13,200 square feet of land at Shamshuipo for \$256,000. that is being developed by the to have confidence in their own land boom is a vicious circle, of strength any more. Even their tesque claim that in his hands to create the conditions for per- dicate that they have their the power formerly held by the manent stabilisation of house and flat rentals at their present exaggerated level. The tendency is, in short, in direct contradiction of the policy expressed in the

the situation, however disturbing nile. HONG KONG it may be. While the Colony AIRWAY B of having large amounts of surplus capital seeking investment. and land remains the most popular outlet, the prospect of lower prices must be small, and it would Africa). be unbusinesslike were Government to decline to go in at the

> top of the market. .. In fact, were the revenues from this source more satisfactorily dealt with, the inclination might be to suggest that Government go in and make a killing while the going is good. Here, of course, we come back to an old argument: that income from land sales should not be absorbed automatically into the general revenues of the Colony, but placed in a special account, to be drawn upon for special purposes. certain circumstances, it might be held back as a provision for lean years, but more general approval would be commanded were wenues from this-source to be earmarked for the development public amenities those things for which the Government, for some reason or other, never feels that

it has sufficient funds. The various pros and cons of the argument on this treatment of land sale revenues have been exhaustively dealt with for years past and no repetition is necessary. All that might be suggested now is that the Government and its advisers discuss the issue once again, and see whether it cannot discover a change of heart, and a sounder moral approach.

Apart from Marshal Soko- at least, he receives favourable lovsky's theatrical walk-out from publicity. the Allied Control Council meeting, new evidence that the Soviet Government expects the partition of Germany to last may be found in the administrative reorganisation just completed in Eastern to any other person than the

Germany. Like the British and American authorities, the Russians have now created a Central Economic Comntission to supervise the whole of their zone in which central

agencies were already at work. dictment for listening to Eng-antished with the British con-important role.

Contrast between Lastern and since this trial will undoubtedly what a pair and cannot tay be summed assume a pronouncedly political that our distinctulies are not be covered to know a substance and assume a propounce and for great replaced on the appear that folis of the substance and assume a propounce and for great replaced on the appear that the appear that the counterpart in present and contrast with its counterpart in present and options. The plane dropped from a possinger way of the interest and assume a propounce of the party assume assume a propounce and the propounce and assume a propounce and for the substance and assume assume as possing and countering the day as abstering piece of news a propounce and for great replaced and assume as a falled on leaving the algorithm of the appear to the long districtulies are not a propounce and for the substance and for the appear to the long districtulies are not a propounce and for the substance and for the subst

Quisling Lays It On Thick : Assessment Of Singapore

February 2, 1942: One really wonders on what grounds the English had the insolence to declare war on the Axis

Either they did not know our or else-and this seems more plausible—they intended from the very beginning to have other countries and peoples do their fighting for them.

But the English won't lot desirable at this moment. themselves be disturbed in the complacency of their arguments. They are a very peculiar people with whom it difficult to have an argument.

They are obdurate to a degree that gets on one's nerves in the long run. But possibly that is a national advantage rather than a disadvantage

We Shall See!

February 8: A number of developments that, acording to the maps, seem unfavourable to us have led the Bolsheviks once again to utter cries of triumph. They now declare that Kharkov is in immediate danger and

Well, we shall see! . . . The Bolsheviks don't seem cles. serious potentialities, threatening loudest reports of victory in as Premier is concentrated all secret doubts.

The Japanese are so cocksure Prime Minister. and positive about their prog- That's laying it on a bit noses that one can hardly doubt thick, for after all there is Reich commissioner standing their successes.

On the other hand of course beside him! Landlords and Tenants Ordin- one must not fail to observe Nevertheless we release this that the Japanese now and then version, since naturally we are Not that there is anything the exaggerate grossly and that highly interested in letting the Government can fairly do about their propaganda is very juve- Norwegian Government appear

I therefore gave orders that sible. remains in the 'fortunate' position grossly exaggerated Japanese news items must not be published in the German Press.

The English boast that General Auchinleck is about to start now available concerning a counter-offensive (in North casualties due to freezing. That is something, however, tween first, second, and third

that the English always do degree injuries. when things are in bad shape. Anyway, their news policy prises the light cases. Generalis something that we could ly speaking, the soldier remains never afford to imitate. Appear- with his unit and is treated ently the English people don't there. make their Government responsible tomorrow for what it said 4,000 third-degree frostbite

Easy To Lead

It is extremely easy to lead the English people. The German people are much more sensitive about these matters. Even today utterances

leading men of the Reich dating back to September October 1989 are still thrown up at us if things have not come off as prophesied. Quisling's appointment

Premier (of Norway) created a sensation in the countries at war with us and has drawn in its wake great waves of angry commentary.

Quisling is hated violently in the entire enemy world and is target for calumny.

He has actually succeeded in becoming a symbol, although he doesn't really deserve it. But the more he is attacked abroad, the more it becomes

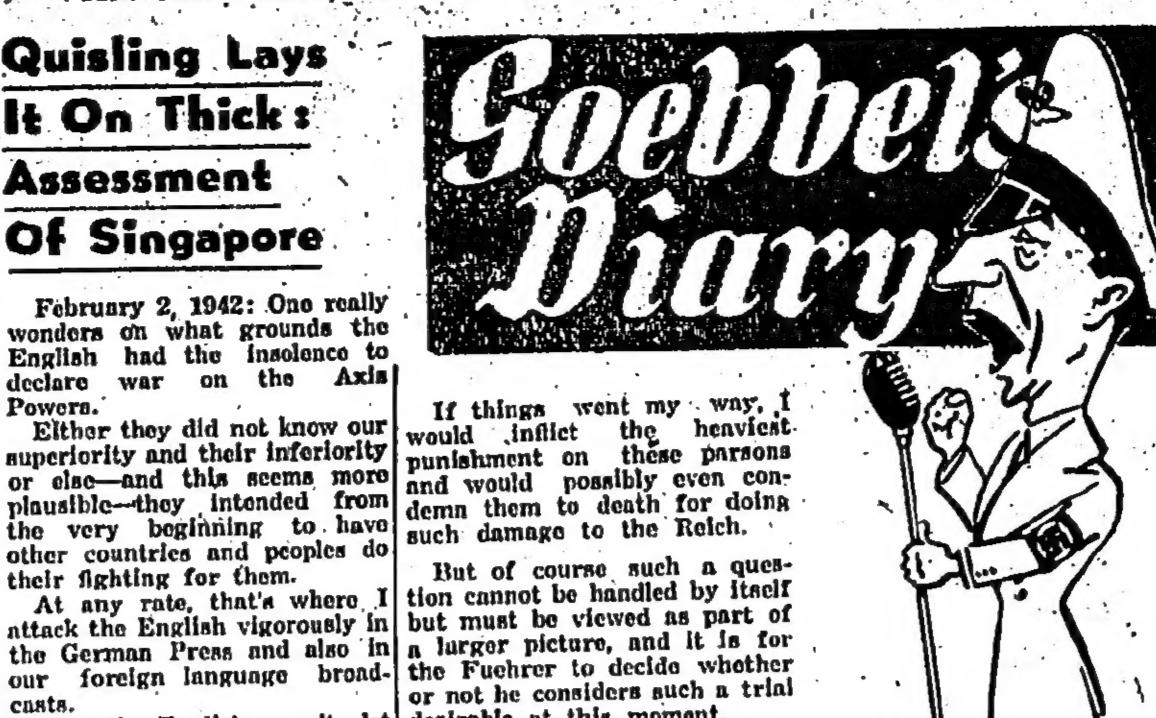
our duty to support him I therefore gave the German Press instructions to give his appointment a good build-up Partition Of Germany and to see to it that with us,

> On the other hand I forbi using the word "Fuehrer" in the German Press when applied to Quisling.

I don't consider it right for the term Fuehrer to be applied Fuebrer himself, . ..

Clergy On Trial

I received word from western part of the Reich that 11 clergymen who are under in-



The radio programmes have

fered. That's what we get for

appointing a musical director-

general to be responsible for

February 4: Quisling gave a

as big and independent as pos-

Casualty Lists

February 5: Figures are

We must differentiate be-

First-degree frostbite com-

Up to January 20 there were

cases, in other words, most

These 4.000 cases include

1,856 necessitating major am-

Besides these 4,000 third-

degree cases, 46,600 cases were

recorded of first and second

degree, that is, injuries of a

But look as you will far and

wide, there is none to be dis-

lighter or medium nature.

adequate successor.

ing a wonderful effect.

gerious cases.

putations.

deteriorated very much.

most. . . .

During the hours set aside tenable chiefly because there

the entertainment programme. am convinced that no mat-People of this type usually ter how nonchalantly they may sit in an ivory tower and don't act about Singapore, its loss know what the common man will be a real shock to the Engwants and what he needs lish people. Churchill is al-

Experts are always handicap- ing public opinion. Most (British) newspapers ped in their relation to the comthink Churchill hasn't gone mon people. They lack the

People thought a number of strong men would be included; instead, Churchill got stuck

long interview about his poli-Beaverbrook seems to have He makes the somewhat groobtained pretty far-reaching acter, can maintain his position be of no real importance whatever, He therefore returned the spade K to King, the Parliament, and the

> thin and pretty confused speech ever if your order in playing them West played the 4. reconstruction of his Cabinet. He dwelt especially on

and more obstinate and the English world empire faces the danger that, if the crisis within the Commonwealth should develop, Australia may some

In the evening I took a look H 752 at the Italian Gigli motion pic- D 8 6 3 ture "The Tragedy of Love," the artistic level of which is so far below the normal that it

The Italians are not only doing nothing about the war efducing anything worth while in South the realm of the arts.

ple rather like sterilisation.

Secret Message

the East Asia conflict are beantateurish. Parliament would the East; the German Army was gul're. Death does not dare touch national States were nit yet undoubtedly have sent him fly- by no means defeated; its power them. to resist was unbroken; and, as ing long ago if there were an the weather improves, it must be

command of the Army is hav- stations. I sense a certain danger this. Any ruffian band hand Recent German successes in his suitcase with a time bomb at the East are credited to him, the cloakroom counter and two or and rightly so. He has ac- three hours later a part of tually saved the Eastern railway station is blown up.

The Jewish question is again to whether luggage can't be congiving, us a headache: this But here, as everywhere else, time, however, not because we we lack manpower necessary have gone too far, but because work like thus we are not going far enough.

German people the idea is gain-ing headway that the Jewish comprehensive survey of the millquestion cannot be regarded as tary and political situation. I was and the maintenance of reserves solved until all Jows have left in my best form. I am sure they

No Petrol

armies (in the East) has re- cause in the much-advertised ported that marching orders democracles acbody knows who is the can't be carried out because to give orders and who is to obey. there is no petrol.

assume a pronouncedly political to their feet by allying them- February 9: In the course of

sufficient fighter-plane for entertainment almost noth- isn't ing but symphonic music is of protection.

Singapore

ready having a hard time calm-

necessary instinct for realis- nearly far enough in reshufing what the people are think- fling his Cabinet.

with Beaverbrook.

long beside Churchill. Churchill delivered a very The difference can be terrific, bow- trump it. But tSouth ruffed

in the House, explaining the difficulties the British Empire is lower than any your partner can | used diamonds to discard clubs from faces in its relations with Aus- not see, he is impelled to treat it as his hand. the last you hold in the suit. If, how-

day incline more towards the United States.

really ought to be prohibited.

fort, but they are hardly pro- nerable.). t H Pass . 4 H

One might almost say that Fascism has reacted upon creative life of the Italian peo-

February 7: We got hold of a secret message of the (British) Foreign Office to its em-Churchill's preparations for bassies and legations.

expected to start new offensives. occurred in the baggage rooms of The fact that the Fuchrer Berlin railway stations, among simply cannot be filled. himself has taken over active them the Anhalter and Stettiner

I am having an inquiry made as

At noon I received the represen-Among large sections of the tatives of the Auslands Organisa-

will return spiritually elated; February 8: Anglo-American collaboration is the principal theme of the Anglo-Saxon Press. There seem to be all sorts of February 6: One of the difficulties about it. That is be-Undoubtedly, too, the personal vanities and rivalries between

"THE AUTHORITY ON AUTHORITIES" West opened the A. of his partner's spades and then led the 3-not the 4. When East won that with the 10, he counted West as now being Offhand you would say that the blank of the suit, since the 3 was powers. But no man with difference between a four-spot and a lower than any card not in sight, and imagination, or a strong char- three-spot is so insignificant as to hence was the last which West held.

"The amazing thing is that it's deductible from your

By SHEPARD BARCLAY

when you hold both of those cards, the third trick, confident West could

DIFFERENCE IS

IMMENSE

one of the suit left, that lower one.

DKJ 10 5 4

W E D 9 2

S- C:01 1 6-

5 Q 9 1

DAQ7

C A 5 3

(Dealer: South, North-South vul-

West North East

Pass 2 D 2 8

Here was another case, of a

stronger pair bidding them, freely

against weak opponents. The esti-

mate of their opposition's ineptates

featable contract through bad team-

kind of matter.

HOSS

income taxi"

deceives your partner. It can prevent | East was fit to be tled, but he the defeat of a bentable contract. Just could do nothing about it. South take one instance-your lead of play knocked out the heart A with a trump the to the second trick of the suit. If it lead, won the return club Q and then

If West had played the 4 on the Australia is, becoming more ever, a lower card is out of sight to second, spade trick, East-not seeing him, he knows his partner may have the 3-would have counted on his partner to hold that card. He then would have returned his club Q instead of a third spade. That would have removed South's A. When the declarer later lost to the heart A. a. second club lend would have set 78 K] 10 5 2 him.

Tomorrow's Problem

B Q 10 9 H Q 6:3: DAK 1912 C 10 6 5.2 8 C + 3

CAKQJ 87 (Dealer: West, North-South vulproved correct, as they made a denerable.) After North opens with 1-Diamond work of the defence on the simplest and East doubles, what would you do

D Q 7 5

what we have lost in him. I feel numb over this loss quering one-sixth of the earth . It is a warning not to be There are so many people in public by their methods. But that was ing revealed more and more as optimistic about the situation in life who are as superflucus as a during an epoch when the great

> umong them who has the ability is ready, Italy is trying hard to A number of minor bomb to help make history, a senseless get ready, and Japan is just on explosions are reported as having and cruel fate tears him from our the point of being ready. England ranks and he leaves a vold that will have to reckon with these

> > to doubt the official version of lasts, we shall have to see if the cause of Todt's death. That's the way. English gentlemen are: they are nonchalant and polite as long as everything is shattering English domination in well with them, but they cast off the world, all sacrificles of World their masks and reveal theinselves War I and World-War II will as brutal world oppressors the have been in vain. moment one tresposses on their

preserves or a man appears on

the scene with whom they must

Beginning on April 8, food ra- Newspaper be no doubt that the rations in force after April 6 will no longer be sufficient to guarantee health of human labour power. We must therefore expect

number of developments which we have hitherto been in a posttion to avoid.

1917 Again

upon conditions that in some | facta: ways resemble those of World Moscow is exceedingly dis- Churchill and Roosevelt play and it is quite obvious that a war brating the 10,000th fable of The reorganisation is likely to lish broadcasts are soon to be tribution in other theatres of We may consider ourselves lucky which extends over so long a the publication which is the speed up the rate of social and tried.

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conomic change and deepen the contrast between Eastern and since this trial will undoubtedly what a ball-and chain they fied.

Dr. Todt Killed.

which the publication which is the publication

The English succeeded in con-

But when there is someone Now, however, that Germany three new world Powers. Feb. 10: Of course there are It's a fight for the highest few English voices stupid enough stakes. No matter how long it

through.

(To Be Centinged)

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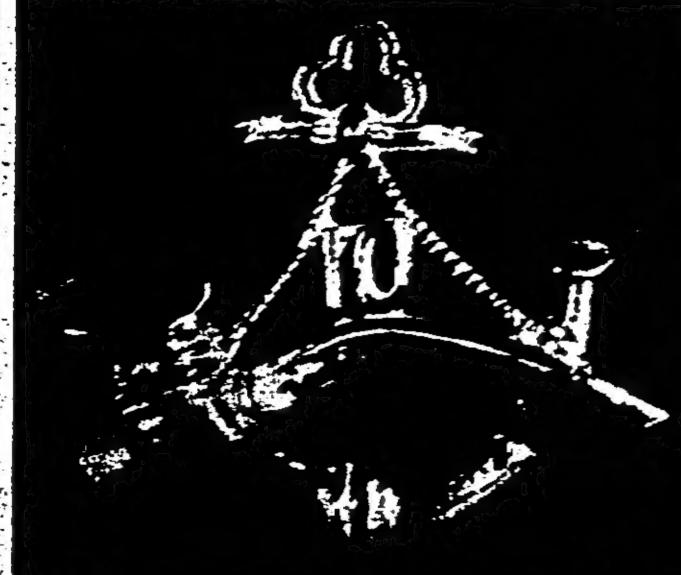
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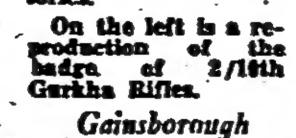
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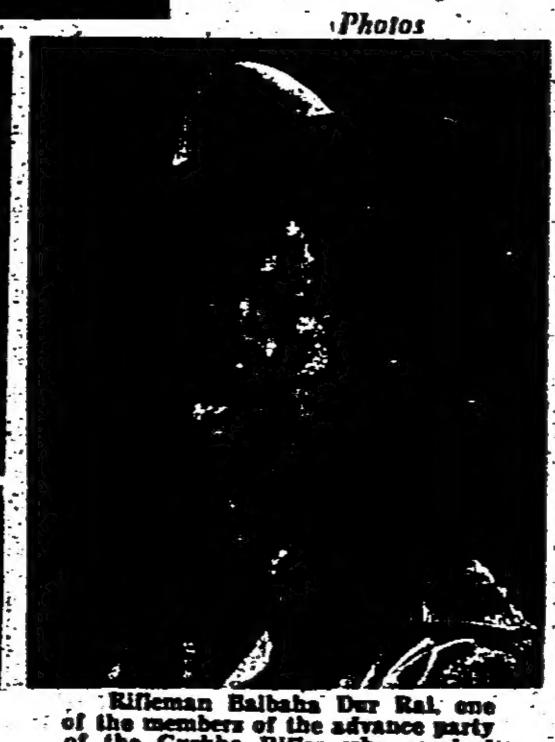


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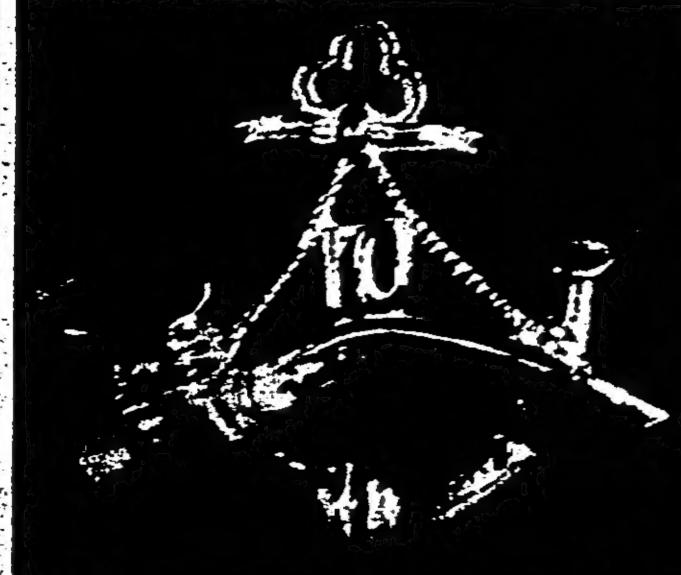
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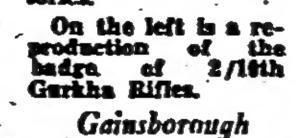
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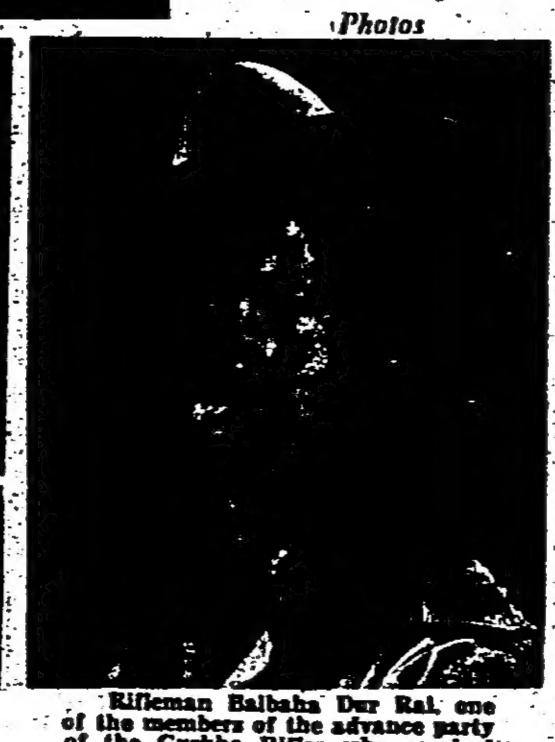


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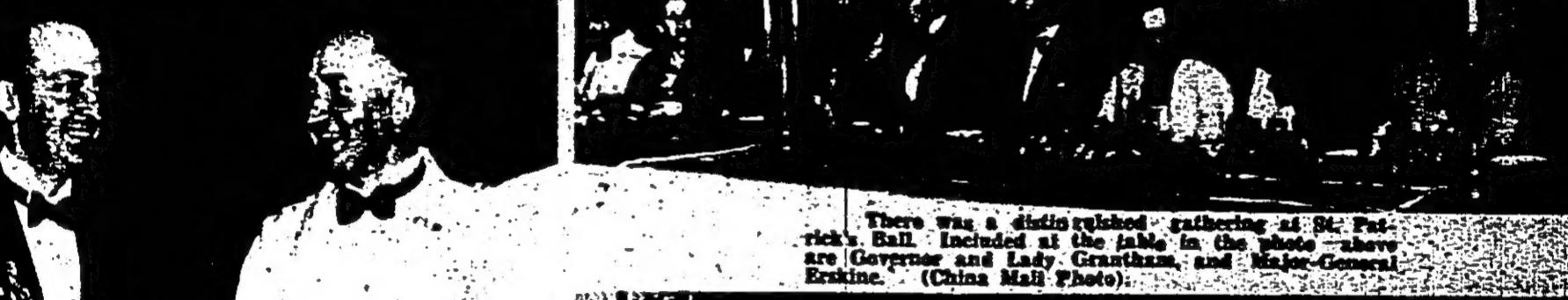
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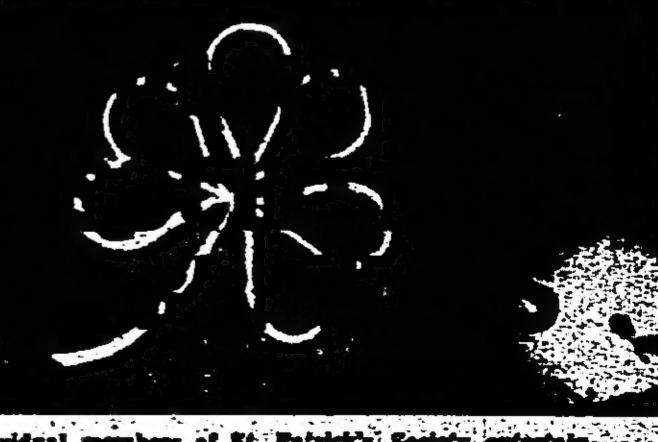
His Excellency the Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham, was among the distinguished guests at St. Patrick's Bail at the Hong Kong Hotel on Mar, 16. (China Mall Photo).







Above is a picture of one of the many individual parties at St. Patrick's Rall. Among the scaled at the table are Mr. and Mrs. W. Ramsey. (China Mail Photo).



Individual members of St. Patrick's Society entertained their friends at St. Patrick's Ball. Above is the party of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Clemo, Mr. Clemo is the Manager of the China Light and Power, Co., Ltd. (China Mail Photo).



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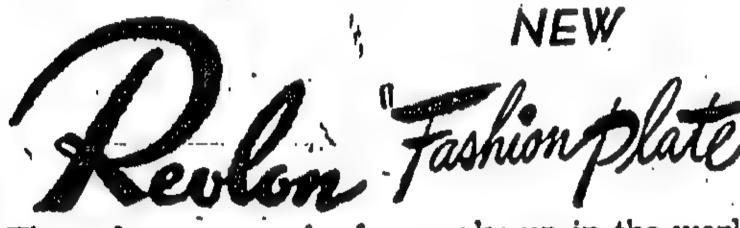
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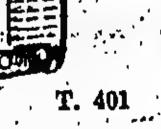
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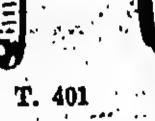
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Berlin Control Collapses

Russians "Suspend Indefinitely" All Sub-Committee Meetings

Swift Rejoinder By General Clay

Berlin, Mar. 22. The Soviet Union today announced the "indefinite postponement" of all sub-committee. meetings of the four-power Control authority, and tomorrow's meeting of the Coordinating Committee, which means that her representatives have been withdrawn for the time being. United States officials declared afterwards that

there were strong indications that the fourpower Kommandatura, which controls the city of Berlin, would "break up soon" and that they expected the Russians to announce in the next few days that four-power rule of

Provocative

might be planning to take.

the city had ended. lay's Russian announcement, Russia's establishing a separate which followed the Russian "walk. Eastern German state. out" from Saturday's Control Council meeting, was made when the Soviet representatives failed to appear for a meeting of the Manpower Directorate at the Control Council headquarters. It drew a swift rejoinder from the American occupation chief, General Lucius D. Clay, who said: "We came into Berlin by right and we

have every intention of staying." Saying that it was still too early to tell what the Russians intended, than a few months longer. General Clay added: "I do not imagine the history of the world will be changed very much if the Russians continue to keep out of four-power

activities. "The Allied Control authority in Berlin has not accomplished anything in the past year. I do not see how the Russians can block things more effectively by a postponement of meetings than they have done by attendance."

Foint Statement

Shortly after the Russian announcement, it was learned that General Robertson had suddenly cancelled a press conference at which ie had been expected to make a Yugoslavia has agreed to negotiate on the Trieste "very important statement" Russian "walkout". It was learned ater that the conference was cancelled so that "concerted action"

could be taken. No individual statement by any of the Western Zone Military Governors will be made, it was learned. The first official reply will represent the attitude of all of them and will, in effect, be a "trizonal statenent of policy."

The German news agency, DPD, basis of the talks between Mar- set about the task "with courreported that Generals Robertson and shal Tito and Signor Palmiro age and only the interests of here on Thursday afternoon.

Withdrawal?

offer by Marshal Tito to incor- any Italian Government regard-In London, diplomatic observers believed tonight that the Soviet authorities may shortly demand the Yugoslavia were given Gorizia, He said there could be no ian." withdrawal of the three Western situated to the north of the doubt that the forthcoming Ita-Allies from Berlin on the ground that Free Territory, in return. the four-power Control machinery The Yugoslav Foreign Minis- of the proposal by the Western has now lansed. ter told a special press confer- powers.

British officials in London were unwilling_to_forecast,_but_observers ence that while Yugoslavia had considered that matters will be agreed at the peace conference brought swiftly to a head by today's to the establishment of Soviet decision to postpone meetings Trieste Free Territory in the of the four-power Control Council in Interest of peace, she has Berlin as well as the meeting of the | ways felt that internationalisaimportant Coordinating Committee tion would mean internal disdue tomorrow.

If the Soviet Government intends to make continued functioning of the four-power machinery conditional on a retraction from the provisional conclusions reached by the Western Allies at the London Conference on Germany last month, then the Berlin tory of having poisoned rela- mobilisation in Yugoslavia. Control Council will already have tions between the two neigh- "Foreign reactionary circles, met for the last time, observers be- bours while the Western pow- with the American reaction-

No Decision

yet been reached on whether Russia Trieste. would definitely withdraw her representatives from the four-power this, Yugoslavia romained con- means of which they are trying Foreign Minister, ontroi Council. For the moment, he said, officers

could not attend Control meetings us prounced earlier today "because Ex-Czech of pressure of work." Soviet administration officers Karlhorst, Soviet headquarters in Eastern Berlin, have been in constant Delegate communication with Moscow all to-

-British-officials in Berlin considered the situation, was more serious Admitted shal Vassili Sokolovsky, the Soviet ... Military Governor, abruptly adjourned and walked out of the Control Council meeting.

But in Soviet and Communist tir- two today to admit to its discles, it was felt the time had not yet cussions. Dr. Jan Papanek, come for a breach-with the West in

Good Argument

cently denounced Communist British Control Commission officials action in his country. thought it possible the Boylet might machinery alive until the "currency applause when the Argentine reform" issue came to a head. A break on so, clear cut an issue proposal to admit him was carwould provide a far better legalistic ried against the opposition of argument for the Russians than the Russia and the Ukraine. refusal of the Western Alles to dis- "M. .. Vassill Tarascako cuss the London talks on which Satur- /Ukraino), supported by M.

day's "walkout" was based.

Reports of further tightening of Soviet controls on the long zonal frontier, stretching from Czecho-slovakia to the Baltic, to prevent an tempt to invite him to the Counexodus of Germans from the Bast into cil table would bo ! a bad step the British and American Zones have for the United Nations."

just reached Berlin. Dr. Paphnok, sitting in the Leading United States officials in distinguished visitors scats. Berlin tonight interpreted Russia's heard M. Tarasenko and M. withdrawal from the four-power government of Germany as either an attempt to frighten the British and standardus. Americans from brioging the French statesments" about his country. into they Bisone, or as a prelude, to, - Repter : bear a prelude

BBC Housing Scheme

Several hundred homeless employees of the British Broadcasting Corporation have formed a housing society to buy property to to convert into family flats. Hristol officials who ploneered the scheme have already bought three large houses. houses for conversion. Router.

the final break from the West

It was also considered inevitable that, with the establishment of such a separate state, the Russians would must hope fervently that that can be make every attempt to get the West- done by peaceful means, but there is ern Allies out of Berlin, which would undeniable risk that the hope may not then be an island in a Communist be fulfilled." One highly placed American offi- state,

sians were yet ready for a final would incorporate the Boviet sector tion of Soviet policy yet heard in the break and therefore he believed it into the Russian Zone and ban United Nations, Sir Alexander said was a "preventive measure" to halt Western Allied personnel from the Britain knew of the "preparations the steps the British and French area, which includes the metropolitan that are being made to help the Comsection of the city.

It was not felt in American cir- . Then they would bebgin a "war of cles, however, that four-power Gov- nerves."

ernment would continue for more Americans were absolutely convinced tonight, however, that nothing While the Russians' withdrawals short of military action would re were in each case, termed a "post move them from the German capital, it with previous coups in the Balkans ponement" rather than a cancellation, a withdrawal from which, they felt it was believed the Soviet authori- would mean the first step toward an ties would be prepared by mid- abandonment of Europe politically .nummer to make in whatever form Reuter.

Belgrade, Mar. 22.

Ready For Talks

question directly with Italy on the facts of the

Foreign Minister, M. Stanoye Simic, at a

M. Simic said his Govern-Tvinced that Yugoslav-Italian

peace at heart.

Warmongering

Simic also assailed

ment was ready to reopen the relations could be improved

talks "in the spirit and on the provided the two Governments

porate Trieste into Italy if less of what political colour.

Anglo - American military ad- centrations, the creation of sub-

ministration in the Free Terri- marine and rocket bases, and

ers prevented the appointment pries at their head, are doing

The announcement was made by the Yugoslav

recent Tito-Togliatti talks.

special press conference.

Accusation

Lake Success, Mar. 22.

. The United Nations Security

former Czechoslovak delegate

to the United Nations, Who re-

Dr. Papanek took his seat at

Council agreed by nine votes to

list leader)."

Must Be Stopped

Lake Success, Mar. 22. Britain today warned the United Nations that the advance of Communism must be blocked even at the risk of war.

The British delegate, Sir Alexan-der Cadogan, told the Security Coun-cil: "There are limits beyond which this (Communist) tide must not ad-

cial said he did not believe the Russ It was felt that the Russians In the most resounding condemnamunists seize power in Italy."

Sir Alexander charged that the recent political turnover in Czechoslovakia showed the "usual signs" of Russian manipulation. He compared and said events took place "under the wing of the Red Army."

In support of charges of Russian interference, Sir Alexander cited press reports quoting the new Czech Minister of Foreign Trade as saying, "We must thank our Slay allies, and mainly the Soviet Union, for the fact that we succeeded in defeating reaction."-United Press.

Cripps ff British Moses"

New York, Mar. 28. American vegetarians approve of Sir Stafford Cripps, describing England's vegetarian Chancellor of the Exchequer as a "British Moses who Clay would hold a press conference Togliatti (the Italian Commun- their own people and those of may lead the peoples of the world out of the economic and These talks, which took place He affirmed that Yugoslavia social wilderness," in an open 16 months ago, ended in an was ready to negotiate with letter written to him by Symon Gould, editor of the New York Magazine, "American Vegetar-

> He is linked with Plato, lian elections were at the base Socrates, Pythagoras, Buddha and Gandhi-those other great vegetarians of the past.

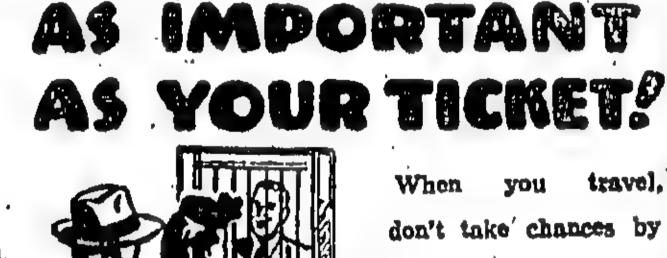
"It is our hope that before what he termed the warmonger- long you may be called on to ing campaign in Italy against assume the office of Prime Min-Yugoslavia. He said this was ister so that your humanitarian part of the election campaign. goals may be translated into He asserted that certain Ita- complete acting on a national lian circles, inspired by the scale and in that way influence United States, spread alarmist international relations."-Asso-The Minister accused the rumours such as troops con- ciated Press.

FINNS IN RUSSIA

Moscow, Mar. 22. of a Governor and so made im- this because they know that The Finnish delegation to ne A high Soviet official in Berlin possible at least some sort of every step toward a rapproach- gotiate a mutual aid pact with stated tonight that no decision had normalisation of conditions in ment between the people of Russia arrived here today and was Yugoslavia and of Italy greeted at the railway station by S. Simic said that, despite threatens their position by M. Andrei Vyshinsky, Soviet Deputy

to establish dominion over Members of the Finnish delega-Italy and exercise a decisive tion were received by M. Molotov influence on its fate."-Reuter. in the evening-Reuter.

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Noel Coward's revival

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By contrast there are glow

ing reports from London of

the success of Mae West and

All On Television

other American performers.

ed experts to discover that.

Broadway for the British.

celluloid.

UNO is lying down and dy- noticed it. ing right before the eyes of There has been an avalan- ness.

and sheer neglect. Today the pulse is almost York editors and columnists. imperceptible, the eves glassy,

the tongue lolling. If UNO survives it will be a miracle. It is a chronic valid, and no one apparently wants to treat it, operate, or even put a soothing hand on

its forehead. The responsibility for the sickness of UNO is, of course. that of all the member nations, hits or frightful flops. but it is chielly Russia's, America's, and Britain's.

Here there is little fait left in the Organisation. described as powerless hopeless. Some politicians are even suggesting a new international "supreme council" outside UNO.

Ike Is Silent

In Washington, which Frank by the critics and folded last Owen and I visited for three Saturday night after less that days this week, there is polite a week's run. reluctance to talk about the United Nations.

instead, politicians, to close soon, after savage speak of politics. There are notices which said the wit, diasome who think President Trulogue, and situations had worn man will be dumped, that although he is titular head of the Democratic Party he will be asked not to run.

Rebels in the party want him to stand down on the ground that the Democrats cannot possibly win with the present President as standard bearer.

They are trying to persuade General Eisenhower to reconsider his decision not to hold But Ike is himself available. silent, and the Republicans, sniffing victory, are so beyond themselves that they imagine they can win with a cipher. While we were in the capital we lunched at the Embassy with the British Ambassador, Lord Inverchapel, who is retir-The Ambassador talked of his days in Russia, paid tribute to the strength and and humour of Stalin when he knew him, and described stories of the Soviet leader's alleged ill-health as being unlikely.

Washington appeared rather diplomatic officials of a "certain listless and depressed. Resi-foreign power", was to take them dents there are not allowed to abroad secretly. vote or to stand at bars, which The plane circled over the airfield gayest place is the National Sunday volunteers was working that a Filipino veteran went might be the reason. The but did not land because a group of Press Club, where the Editor

The passage of the Marshall Plan is considered a hundred ple's Party (Catholic) today decided who knows anything in Washington. Only the merest handing that there will always be an England so long as the United States is here to finance it. The capital's confident tip years, ex-newspaper publisher,

fine orntor, and the most res- Stamek was Premier of the Czech pected man in the Republican Government in exile in London. the United States have vanish- pick them up from a civilian airfield ed along the Potomac. Wash- at Rakovnik, about 50 miles north ingtoniums think prosperity is

here to stay. the capital is "Jim Farley's day and that a foreign plane could respondent collaborated. It sets of activity because of the national out to prove that Roosevelt was a petty politician, but merely demonstrates that Farley is a Reuter. disappointed man.

It is unfortunate that more than two years after Roosevelt's death the vicious attacks on him continue.

the dazzle and excitement of Germany. New York. The city is all ac- American agents said that seems to get faster each week. as Vladimir Benez, said he was were clashes between the police President. and Red demonstrators in The pharmacist entered Ger-Times-square - as sidewalk many on March 12, they said Commies out; lock the lunatics from the Communist Govern-

cept to people's feelings. wives are still rating space, that the man identified himsel and one batch of women; form- as a 82-year-old grandson of ed; picket lines demonstrating the Czech President. would : make : it; unlawful to pointed out that Dr. Benes and due to acidity. serve liquor to unescorted we his wife. Hana never had any

Actually, alcoholism among common pame in Crochoslowomen/ la doclining, 'according vakia) .- Associated Press.

to statistics-not that I've vision revitalising the entire film, theatre, and radio busi- plan alleged to be under

140,000,000 Americans. But if the of social events. We gave Striptensing is creeping back ington's State Departthere is a doctor in the house Frank Owen a big send-off at into Manhattan after years of ment, for the United the hasn't been heard from. the Daily Mail office the other prudery. Burlesque is boom-The patient is suffering from night. Over 100 newspaper- ing along Flity-second Street, States to take over Brishock, exposure, malnutrition, men, actors, and actresses where the peelers are bringing tain's economic responturned up; including most New in the dollars.

Arthur Rank arrives tomor-row, and along with some hun-India, New Zealand and Smashers Or Flops Hollywood specialists engaged the magnate, in discovering what's wrong

with entertainment now come up with the assertion that there to the U.S. and 50 per cent Prime Minister, Mr. Clement is no longer such a thing as average business. The box- levy. Mary Pickford plans a large- gues, for having "damaged" the office is either terrific or terrible. Films are either smash

scale production of films in sterling area. flock to mediocre pictures, how- est women in the show busi- was moving towards a separate ever great the name of the ness. star. The lesson, therefore, is

The Next Subject

Alfred Hitchcock and Sidney Bernstein sail at the month's end to make "Under Capricorn," starring Ingrid Berg-Individual Pictures' David Pursall dropped in from Brussels that Jean Simmons, who has been on location in the Fiji Is. lands, is a sensation in "The Blue Logoon."

star to be offered many thousands of dollars to appear at The Government today re-London's Palladium.

here is Italia Valli, who is something very special in looks against an "armed insurrection and talent. Hollywood says leap year is

Most showmen are still put the time when girls look on the ting their money hopes on tele- bride side of life.

Manila, Mar. 23.

Washington, Mar. 22.

A. physician asserted today

services on Bataan.

ARRESTED

Prague, Mar. 22. M. Jan Sramek, former Czech Vice-Premier, and M. Hala, former Minister, of Posts, were arrested yesterday while trying to leave Czechoslovakia illegally by air, it was officially announced here tonight.

They were arrested on Sunday on [the "Aero Club" airfield, according to ment while waiting for a foreign Went ment while waiting for a foreign aircraft which, with the help of

Large sums of Czechoslovak and and I expended some time and foreign money were found on the two The Action Committee of the Peo-

to one certainty by everyone to expel M. Sramek, its former Chairman, because of his "attempt to The party also excluded five ful of Isolationists are mutter- Members of Parliament and 11 other. Went insane immediately after

officials of the party. M. Hala was expelled from the cheque.-Associated Press. People's Party on March 6. Both 77-year-old M. Sramek and

for the Presidency is Senator 54-year-old M. Hala were among the Arthur Vandenberg, an enlight- eight Ministers whose resignations ened internationalist in recent hrought the Czech crisis to a head During the second World War. M. to the thone .- Associated Press.

It was planned to use a special Fears of a financial crash in plane of foreign origin which would Story: The Roosevelt Years," land and take off again without being a bitter, binsed volume on stopped. But when they arrived this which the Chicago Tribune cor- Sunday, they found the sirfield full

Benes' Relative

Passau, Mar. 23. American authorities said today that's chemist claiming to be a distant relative of Dr.

Over the week-end there a fifth or sixth cousin of the pain.

"Throw the and claimed that he was fleeing up." No damage was done ex- ment. The agents said "he did not seem to be very important." | are consistently prescribed. Tosspot mothers and boozing German' police said earlier

children and that Benes is a

London, Mar. 22. The Daily Express tothe British Empire" if a consideration by Washsibilities in Australia,

dreds I am invited to interview Egypt, goes through: The Daily Express said the The Intest suggestion to solve New York Times had indicated the tax deadlock is 25 per cent: the existence of such a plan. freeze, 25 per cent transferable The Express attacked the

England with all-American The paper also indicated that The public will no longer casts. She is one of the shrewd- because of this, South Africa

Attlee, and most of his-collen-

monetary system "The New York Times forecasts a new and terrible price that Britain will have to pay for the proposed second injec-tion of dollar aid," the Daily Express editorial said.—Reu-

Judy Canova is the latest Juggestion

Most publicised new actress signatories of the Brussels fiveeach other immediate aid directed to the overthrow the participating countries.

The suggestion, prempted by the coup in Crechosloakia, was made in the House of Commons by squadion-leader Patrick Donner. Conservative. Mr. Christopher Mayhew, Un-

der-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, replied that none of the signatorics-Dritain, France, Belgium, Holland and Luxembourghad at any time suggested that arrangements would be

undertaking was not serious omission in the Brussels treaty, Mr. Mayhew said that not think the problem was as simple as suggested. He thought it would be within the treaty provisions for a country to bring such questions im-mediately to the Consultative Council. The Foreign Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin, had all these points of issue in mind.-Reuter.

FOOD DUMPS SEIZED

The German police arrested of disappointment over receiving a cheque for 97 centavos seized five large food dumps in a surprise week end raid at Pan-(48 1/2 American cents) from the Philippine Army as the bal- kcw. Prussia, on the orders of ance due him for his wartime the Soviet Command, Large quantities of food were

Dr. Larenzo G. Almeda said requisitioned and minny were employed for hours taking 51 ex-Sgt. Ariston Y. Almalel the food away.-Reuter,

opening the letter with the Berlin, Mar. 22. der-Secretary of State, Sir Wil liam Strang, formerly political Former King Michael of Rumania adviser to the British Military visited President Truman on Monday Governor-General Sir Brian and said later that the President Robertson, arrived in Berlin toshares his hope that 'he will return day.-Reuter.

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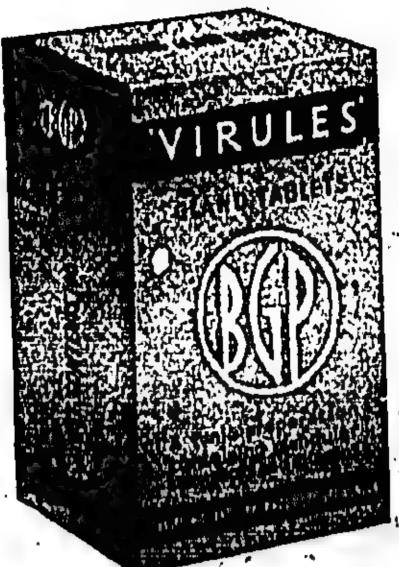
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YUGOSLAV GOVT. PROTESTS

Accuses Three Powers Of "Poisoning Her

-Opposition Trieste Proposal

London, Mar. 22. Yugoslavia today protested "most energetically" against the British, American and French proposal to return the Free Territory of Trieste to Italy and accused the three powers "poisoning relations" between her and

Coming less than 48 hours after the three Western powers had announced their proposal in a surprise move a month before Italy's general elections, the protest was contained in a sevenpoint note handed by the Yugoslav Foreign Minister, M. Stanoye Simic, to the British, French and United States Ministers in Belgrade.

Protesting. "most energetically" The note accused the three West-against the way in which the three ern powers of having "systematical-governments raised the question of ly prevented the Security Council

tests against the fact that while it was long of Trieste. necessary to obtain Italy's consent, it was not defined necessary to obtain the consent of Yogoslavia, the Allied

country most concerned. "This method of procedure leads to the supposition that the aim of the proposal is not to find the best solu tion of the Trieste problem and the regularisation of relations between the peoples of Southern Europe, but that it is in the pature of propaganda and does not conduce to the consolidation of world peace."

Police

Helsinki, Mar. 22. Right addressed question to the Govern- Leave ment today, hinting that the Finnish police were being heavily infiltrated, SUSPENCEO presumably by the Communist Party although parties failed to

The groups which supported the missioned officers. question were the Aurarians, Conservatives. Liberals and Swedish ported a number of thefts of People's Party.

The question was: Is the Government aware of the effort made to exchange police waff and make promitions on grounds of the politics opinion of those concerned and that police authority to a great-extent line been given to people who do belong to the regular police?" The Communist Party holds the

country's Interior portfolio. Meanwhile, it was learned that the Prime Minister, Mr. Mauno Pekkala, suffering from a bad car inflammation, had been examined by two leading specialists, who told him he week at the earliest .- United Press.

revision of the Italian prace treats from reaching an agreement on the concerning the fate of Trieste, the selection of a Governor for Trieste". as provided for under the Unite. "The Yugoslav Government pro Nations statute for the Free Terri

"Chauvinists"

It also said the Anglo-American military administration in Trieste had poisoned the relations between Yugoslavia and Italy by "giving full reign to Italian Fascist and Chauvinist elements", had settlement in Trieste, and had set up a "military totalitarian regime popular participation."

Yugoslavia maintained that advancing of such a proposal during the Italian electoral campaign "can only serve to support a Chauvinist hatted against the peoples of Yugo-·lavia and poison internal relations in Italy."

The Italian Government today ! sent messages to the British, United of milk they often get some of Flora States and French Governments ac- Bell's two gallons a day yield .cepting their proposal for returning Associated Press. Trieste to Italy.

Count Sforza, the Italian Foreign Minister, announced in a broadcast speech Italy's acceptance of the proposal and her thanks to the three Western powers,-Remer.

Wing Easter

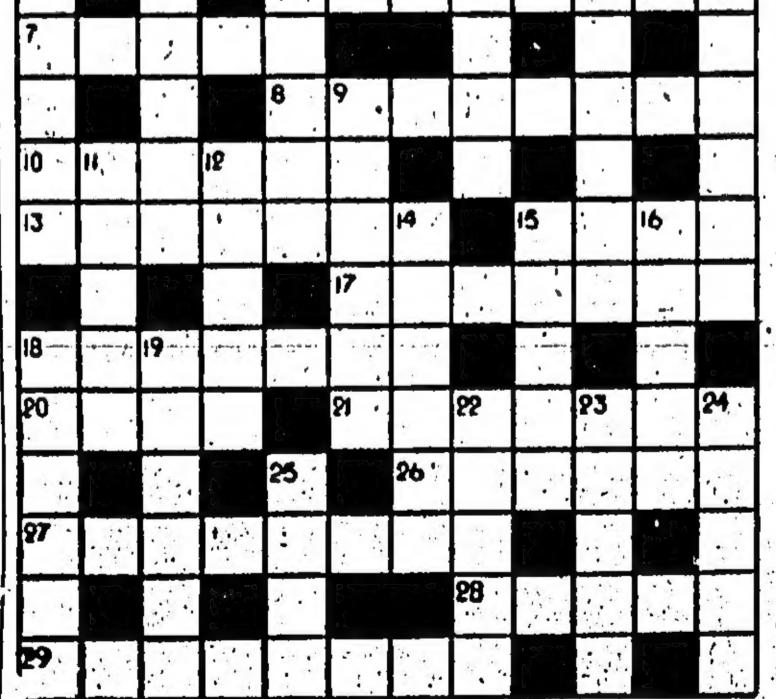
Copenhagen, Mar. 23. Defence Minister Rasmu Hansen said today that Easter leave had been suspended for a name those responsible. "part of" Denmark's young military officers and non-com-Danish police recently have re-

> weapons from Home Guard depots all over Denmark. Guards at all military, and naval establishments have been doubled since last Saturday, i was learned.

> An authoritative source sale the action was taken because of 'the internal political situation?' Another source said the order applied to all cadets and NCO's -Associated Press.

, London, Mar. 22. Choirs from South America S.S. and many European countries have entered for this year's Inwould not be able to join the dele- ternational Eisteddfod opening at gation in Moscow until late this Llangollen, Denblghshire, Wales.

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stalrease?

12 Mistake.

Down !- 1 Sustains 2 Reliance, 12 Ajar, 13 Terse, 16 Delete, 18 Abet, 4 Denotes, 5 Donated, 6 Amulet, Ceased, 20 Stems, 22 Dial, 23 Ether, 7 Bogus, 14 Reminded, 15 Explodes, 25 Extra, 26 Needed, 27 Grade, 25 16 Dastard, 17 Legends, 19 Emerge, 21 Taxes, 24 Reel.

25 Pleasant.

With De Gasperi

Turin, Mar. 22. Georges Bidauit, French Foreign Minister who, on Saturday, disclosed here the Allied proposal to revise the Italian treaty and restore Trieste to Italy, met the Italian Prime Minister, Signor Alcide de

Gasperl, today. M. Bidault met Signor de Gasperi at Crea, near Turin, one of the most famous shrines of Northern Italy. Both, with their wives, prayed before the high altar in the 12th-century shrine.

After worshipping, the two statesmen had a long private talk.—Reuter.

Flora Bella Country

London, Mar. 23. Flora Bella, the society cow, again yesterday afternoon. whose London town house is summer season in the country, and decided that the quikest way Flora Bella is a handsome Jersey was to sail, in the Hyde Park Gate district. Enid Bagnold, said the cow was a map of Europe. home to supplement the milk ration. | hourne, Sussex, on the English

Flora Bella and milks her twice n And when the Churchills run out

ACCIDENTAL DEATH

Midhuret, Mar. 23. day that Mrs. Valerie Josephine | ing. Lee, daughter of a Baronet,

alcohol."-Associated Press.

London, Mar. 22.

Coastguards along the south coast of England were keeping a sharp lookout today for a 20year-old Swedish stu-Hans Nordenstrom, who left the Isla of Wight last week in a 10-foot open dinghy to attempt to reach his home in Stockholm.

Nardenstrom reached the South Coast holiday resort of Brighton on Saturday night and members him haul his tiny craft up tho young student spent

Saturday night in a seaside boarding house and 'pushed off He told the cruising club that next door to Mr. Winston Chur- he has to return to Stockholm to chill, is about to leave for the complete his university studies

owned by Sir Roderick and Lady He has with him a change of fones. During the winter she lives clothing and some food wrapped in a stable at the back of their home. in 'ollskins, He hopes to complete the 1,400-mile journey with Lady Jones, who is the novelist, the aid of a pocket compass and brought in from the Jones' Sussex! He was hoping to reach. East-

"My daughter Laurian looks after Channel, today.-Reuter,

Assassinated Cairo, Mar. 22.

Ahmed Al Khazinger Bey, President of the court trying a group of Egyptian youths accused of attempting to blow up the British Supply Centre and Information Office in Cairo last May, was assassinated as he A Coroner's jury found to- left his home on Monday morn-

Police have arrested two met an accidental death in her youths-who have not yet been fall from a speeding train near identified-who they alleged fired seven shots at the Judge The Coroner said she some- and threw grenades at passerstimes "wrongly took too much by who tried to catch them .-Associated Press

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SHIP	FROM			DUE
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"TJITJALENGKA" In port

Manila and Amoy 4th April Batavia, Semarang. Sourabaya, Macassar 14th April.

ASIA-AFRICA-SOUTH AMERICA SERVICE Loading for

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Manila, Singapore.

There is nothing fresh to report.

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COTTONS

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Industry

Warned

London, Mar. 22.

industry delegation that better use

of labour and new machinery

were needed to let the industry

play its part, as the nation's No. 1 export producer.

Prime Minister also told

delegation that the cotton

pirts should rise quickly.

An official statement said the

dustry would have to have more

it was essential that cotton ex-

The statement added it was

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agreed a way could be found to

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11.K. Lands (Old) 92 %b, 98sa (New)

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Early April

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Stock

Washington, Mar. 22. The Senate Foreign Relations Committee today recommended \$463 million aid to China, of which about \$100 million could be used for military supplies—for a period of 12 months. The Administration had asked for \$570 million for economic aid to China for a 15-month's period.

Senator Arthur Vandenburg. 3 4 % Luan (1934) 99 1/26; (1948) 1906. Chairman of the Committee, told reporters the 15-months H.K. & S. Hank 2020b, 2020s, 2040sa term was reduced to 12 to place the programme within the framework of the European re- Exchange

ment." C. Lights (Old) 23% b, 26s, 23% as; The \$100 million is to be 1 37 %, Rennecute Copper 40 16, Montgomer President, who will arrange for National Load 33%. New York Centre the terms of the grant with the Already 10%, Pennsylvania RR 18, Radi Chinese authorities.

The House provisions are from the Far East. wrapped up in the "package" foreign aid bill, also calling issue coins in the value of 5, 20 for \$5,300 million_for_the_ERP, \$275 million military aid for Greece and Turkey, and million for the International Children's, Fund of the United ern countries, Unile hopes to use

Nations. House Move

an immediate grant of \$55,000,- Associated Press 000 for Austria, France and Italy pending final approval of the present longrange foreign Money aid legislation,

The amount was included in an emergency money bill. quested by President Truman The Prime Minister, Mr. Cle- several weeks ago and supple- the opening rate. ment Attlee, today told a cotton | ments the \$522,000,000 appro-

emergency relief. The Committee said the original \$522-million would be exhausted by March 25 and there would be no other funds with 312.63 respectively. which to run the aid programme until the European recovery ing at \$12.25 a 100 rates bill is enacted.

Chancellor of the Ex-The latter is expected chequer, Sir Stafford Cripps, sald reach the White House early in April.-Reuter.

Paris. Mar. 22. The Greek Embassy here today denled yesterday's "Pree Greece Lust your's production was at Radio report that Greek Governthe monthly rate of £6,500,000. ment tropps used poison gas against which was bettared by £2,000, guerillas in Westein ; Macedonia.-

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Senator Arthur Vandenburg.		Conversion Loan, Black, 1961 104-18/16
Chairman of the Committee, told reporters the 15-months term was reduced to 12 to place	A	Funding Loan, 4%, 1960/90 112%
told reporters the 15-months	N Y Stock	War Loan, 8%, 1982 104 War Loan, 8% 103%
term was reduced to 12 to place	14.1. OLOCK	Victory Bends, 4%
the successment within the		•
framework of the European re-	Euchago	RAILWAY SHARES:
covery programme.	Exchange	British Transport, 3% 97%
The cut from \$570 million to		OIL SHARES:
\$463 million :left the same rate	New York, Mar. 23.	Royal Dutch Co 2314
of spending a month, he said.	Stocks today churned through the busiest session in nearly a year with in-	Shell Transport & Trading Co. 2-13/16
The measure provides \$363	dividual favourites doing well while profit	SHIPPING
million economic aid to the Chi-	eashing on the recent buige stalled many	P. & O. S.N. Co., ord \$0/-
nese under the "applicable	market stalwarts. Bullish operations still	GILTEDGED
provisions of the European re-	were based on the outlook for big seale defence spending, military stock-piling	Funding Long, 3% 101-1/16
covery programme" and under		National War Bonds, 214711
the supervision of the ERP ad-	There were 2,040,000 transfers—the	1949/61
ministrator.	largest since April, 1947.	1952/84
Economic aid would be a help	Among gainers were international liminess Machines, Union Pacific, Allied	1951/63
in financing imports of food	Chemical, 20th Century- Fox. Laggards	Eavings Bonds, 3%, 1088/65 10216
and other consumer goods and	included Santa Fe, Northern Pacific,	Savings Honds, 3%, 1960/70 100%
in improving roads and fac-	United Aircraft, Douglas Aircraft, Texas	Savings Bonds, 31%, 1965/76 101-1/16 Exchequer Bonds, 1% %, 1960, 100-15/18
tories.	Dow Jones averages: Stocks 65.04, 20	to a section thanks down income of the
	Industriate 173.66, 16 Rails 51.76, 10	FOREIGN DONDS:
A Grant	Utilities 32,71.	German Loan (Dawrs) 7% 9
Senator Vandenberg said the	Closing stock quotations: Adams Ex-	Japanese 6%, 1924/69 31 14
remaining \$100 million was "a	press 17%, Alaska Juneau 3%, American Con 81%, American Smelling 64%.	Jan. S. Manchurian Riv., 5%, 1928 24%
grant to China to be used to	American Telephone 148%, American	Banks:
suit its own necessities and	Tobacco 60%, American Waterworks 716.	Chartered Bank of EA, & C 12
purposes." -	Anaconda Copper 34%, Aviation Corp.	H.K. & Shanghal Banking Corp. 1201/2 Mercantile Bank of India "A" 211/2
Asked if it could be used for	54. Baldwin Locomotive 144. Barnsdall 36. Bendix Aviation 814. Bethichem Steel.	MINING SHARES:
military purposes. Senator	34, Boeing Aircraft 28%, Borden Co. 40,	Consol, Goldfields of S. Africa 67/6
Vandenberg sald that was up	Canadian Pacific 10%, J.I. Case 8014.	Consol, Tin Mines of Burms . : 2/4%
to the Chinese Government.	Chrysler 59 14, Colgate 43 %, Commercial	Indian Copper Corporation 4/3
He said it could be used to	Solvent 23%, Corn Products 65, Dupont 178%, Eastman Kodak 41%, Electric	New Union Goldfields 5/6 Orange Free States Trust 53/11/4
buy weapons or for other mili-	Light /Power 1715. General Electric 85%.	West Rand Investment Trust 40/71/4
tary purposes "if such is the	General Motors 5415, Goodrich 525.	Free States Developments \$8/9
option of the Chinese Govern-	Goodyene 41%, Homestake Mining 38%	Renderand 12/11/2
ment."	Inter. Harvester 86%, Inter. Paper 47%. Inter. Tel. & Tel. 18%, Johns Manville	Cons. Main Reel
The \$100 million is to be	1 37 4, Rennecute Copper 40 16, Montgomery	Der Las Rue, ord 48/6
placed at the disposal of the	Ward 52%, National Distillers 20%.	S.A. Breweries
President, who will arrange for	National Load 33%, New York Central	West Driefontiens 97/6 Lydenburg Estates 19/1%-
the terms of the grant with the	14. Packard Molors 4%, Pan American Aleways 10%, Pennsylvania RR 18, Radio	South African Township Mining
Chinese authorities.	Corp. 10 %, Iteal Slik 1176, Republic Strel	& Finance Corp 21/41/2
Package Aid	25 %, Reynolds Tubacco 38%, Schenley	Selection Trusts 47/6
	2014. Senen Rochrick \$614. Shell Oil \$2,	Bouth African Torbanites 67714 60/714
	Socony Vacuum 16%, Southern Pacifid 12%, Standard Brands 26, Standard Oil	Tobacca Securities Trust Defer. 2%
phasined, however, that it was	of Catif. 69 %. Blandard Oll of N.J. 14,	Grnotylel (Mining 46/1016
for the Chinese to say how the	Studebaker 18%. Union Bag. 10, Union	Johannesburg Consolidated 111/3
\$100 million was to be used, as	Carbide 162%, U.S. Rubber 42, U.S. Steel	CHINESE BETERNAL LOANS:
the President only arranged for	71 %, U.S. Lines 18 %, Westinghouse 28 %. Youngstown Short/Tube: 73 %, "Gen. Pub.	Lung-Talog-U-Hal Blye., 65c, 1918 13
the fiscal terms of the grant.	Stattistan, 10 M Spanelated Draw	Reurg. Luan, 5%, London leeve,
The Senate measure differs	1	Colon Loun, 555, 1012
from the one approved by the	CIL	Crisp Loan, 5%, 1012 10 Hukunng Railways, 5'4, 1011., 18
House Foreign Affairs Commit-		Honon Railway, 5%, 1908 13
tee; which approved the entire		Shanghal Nanking Railways, 5% 18
\$570 million for the 15-months		Rowloon Canton Railways, 5%.
period but earmarked \$150 mil-		Sterling Bonds 14
lion for military expenditures	1. P DELIMINARY, MAIL, 401	
	a contract the second development of the section of	

Santingo, Mar. 23. Chile is considering the coining of the sliver it mines to buy tea The Government propises to and 50 pesos, worth officially about 16 cents, 64 cents and \$1.60 cents in United States currency.

Because silver circulates India, China and other Far Eastthe coin to pay for tea, jute and copra. Ten especially is now scarce in this country of ten The House, Appropriations drinkers, owing to a shortage of Committee recommended today dollars with which to buy it.

Gold at lowest ebb yesterday was down to \$327.25 a tael, but was exactly the amount re- it recovered to \$831.50 at the close, which was the same as

U.S. dollars were unchanged printed last year for winter at \$5.73 for notes, but drafts and TT dropped to \$5.80 and \$5:89 respectively.

Sterling and Australian notes were unchanged at \$13.20 and Plastres were easier. Open-

fluctuated between \$12.05 and \$12.80, and closed at \$12,1715. Chinese National Currency Tutures opened ht: 11% cents and closed at 12" cents for CN\$10,000. There was transaction in spot which was the quoted nominal at 13.6 cents.

to \$26.70 a 100: NEI Guilders appreciated nlightly to \$31.40 a 100.

RECURITIES: British Consols, 156 %...... 77

l	War Loan, \$14%, 1952 104
1	War Loan, 8% 103 4
1	Victory Bands, 4% 118 %
ŀ	RAILWAY SHARES:
۱	British Transport, 3% 97 %
ŀ	
I	OIL SHARES: Royal Dutch Co
	Shell Transport & Trading Co. 3-13/16
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ĺ	GILTEDGED
ı	Funding Loan, 3% 101-1/16
	National War Bonds, 214711
J	1949/61 101-17/42
1	1952/84 101%
	1954/56
ł	Envirus Bonds, 3%, 1088/65 10214
	Savings Bonds, 3%, 1860/70 100%
	Savings Bonds, 34, 1965/76 101-1/16
	Exchequer Bonds, 1% . 1960. 100-10/10
	Redemption Stock, 3%, 1980/96 97%
4	FOREIGN BONDS:
	German Loan (Dawes) 7% 9
i	Japanese 5%, 1907/47 51 Japanese 5%, 1924/59 31 14
	Jap. S. Manchurian Riv., 5%, 1928 24%
1	Banks:
1	Chartered Bank of LA, & C 12
	H.K. & Shanghat Banking Corp. 12015
1	Mercantile Bank of India "A" 211/2
	MINING SHARES:
1	Consol, Goldfields of S. Africa 67/6 Consol, Tin Mines of Burma. : 2/4%
	Indian Copper Corporation . 4/3
ŀ	New Union Goldfields 5/6
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1	West Rand Investment Trust 40/71/2
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I	S.A. Breweries 163/9
	West Driefontiens 97/6
	Lydenburn Estates 19/1%-
	South African Township Mining
	& Finance Corp 21/41/2 Selection Trusts 47/6
1	South African Torbanites 6/71/2
1	Welkom 60/71/2
1	Tobacca Securities Trust Defer. 2%
1	Grnotviel Mining 46/1016
	Johannesburg Consolidated 111/3
1	CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS:
	Tientein-Pukow Railway, 5% 18 Lung-Tsing-U-Hal Blye., 5%, 1918 13
1	Reurg, Luan, 5%, London lette,
	1913
Ì	Crisp Loan, 5%, 1912 19
1	Hukunng Italiwaya, 5'4, 1911., 18
I	Honon Railway, 5%, 1908 13
ļ	Shanghal Nanking Railways, 5% 18 Kowloon Canton Railways, 5%.
-	Bterling Bonds 14
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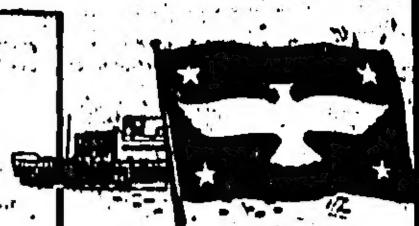
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Arrivals From: Poole via Bangkok Mar. 24, BOAC (Capt. Carcy) Mar. 24, Pan-American, 12.45 Mar. 26, Cathay Pacific, 12.30 Iwakuni Mar. 26. BOAC (Capt. Johnson) 3 p.m. Bhanghal Daily, CNAC, 10.45 a.m.

Mar. 24. H.K. Airways, 3 p.m. Pakhol Japan Mar. 24. Philippine Airways. Mar. 25. Pan-American, 4.45 Mar. 26, H.K. Airways, 3 p.m. Cunton H.K. Airways, four times dally: 10,55 a.m. 1.05 p.m., 3,35

p.m., 5.55 p.m. Mar. 27, BOAC (Capt. Foster) San Francisco Via Honolulu, Wake Guam, Mar. 24. Pan-American, 12.45 Mar. 27, Pan-American, 12.45 Ban Francisco (Via Henolulu, Wake Guam. Okinawa, Shanghal)

Mar. 25, Pan-American, 4.45 June 1, Pan-American, 4.4 Singapore via Bangkok Mar. 24, Cathay Pacific, Mar. 28, Cathay Pacific, Salgon

Mar. 26, Air France, 2 p.m. Departures To: Poole via Bangkok Mar. 24. BOAC (Capt. Payne) son) B a.m. Mar, 29, Cathay Pacific, 2.30

Singapore Mar. 26, BOAC (Capt. Foster) 7,30 a:m. Shanghal Daily, CNAC, 11.45 a.m. Canton H.K. Airways, four timen Lady Wolmer (Wheelock) Y.M.T. Apr. daily: 9 a.m., 11.20 a.m., 1.40 Larkslock (Wellern) Yaumati Mid. Bolssevain (J.C.P.L.) p.m., 4 p.m.

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son) 6 a.m.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH. 84

Closing Times By Alz Airmail for Manila . P.L. Honolulu. U.S.A. and Canada, (Reg.) 9.10. a.m., (Ord.) 10 a.m. Airmail for Sharighai, (Reg.) 11 a.m. (Ord.) 11.10 s.m. Alrmali for Japan (Ord. letters and cards only), \$.30 p.m. Alrmail for Canton, Liuchow and Kunming: Airmail for Amoy, Shanghal, Nanking, Hankow, Teingtao and Pelpingt Airmail for Taluan, (Rog.) # p.m., (Drd.)

Airmail for Swatow and Poorhow, (Reg.), 2 p.m., (Ord.) 3.30 p.m. Cleating Times By Sea and Train Canton, 7 a.m. Macao, Tainshan and Shekki, 8 a.m. Marao, Telmhan and Shekki, 2 y.m. Canton, I p.m. Bangkok, 3 p.m. Shangbal, 3 p.m..

Holbow, 3 p.m. Macao, Teinsban and Shekki, 4 p.m. Stralts, Macauser and Sourabays, 5 p.m. Kengmoun, & p.m. Canton, 5 p.m. THURSDAY, MARCH '15 Closing Times Dy Als

Airmail for Earlie, (Reg.) 11 a.m. Mid. Glenstrae (Jardine)

(Ord.) 11.30 s.m. (Jille)

Airmail for llanglook, Singaphre, Batavie, Colombo, Spriney, and Aughland. (Reg.) 2 p.m. (Ord.) 230 p.m.

Airmail for Itelhow, (Reg.) 3 p.m. (Ord.) 230 p.m.

Airmail for Canton Airmail for Canton Airmail for ShangCord.) 3.30 p.m.

Airmail for Canton Airmail for ShangRady Clengyle, (Jardine)

End. Glaucus

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Karly Clengyle, (Jardi Pelping, (Reg.) I p.m., (Ord.) 3.30 p.m., Cleeing Times By See and Train Canton, Talmban and Sbekki, 4 a.m.,

Shanghal, 10 c.m. Struite, 10 a.m. Bentow, & p.m. Macao, Tilpahan, and Shekul, 2, p.m. Macco, Telneben and Shekki, 4 p.m.

GRYPRÁL MOLIDAY PRIDAY, MARCIE, 14 Checker Timent Br. Air. Airmall for Sheriabel, (Reg.) & 4.40.

Early. Ridderkerk (J.C.P.L.) Japan R. Whf. 27 Bally Marrak (Schoen) Gujarat (Bank Line) ... Mackle's Whf. 10 Gulden State (H.M.L.) Hang Bang (Jardine), 2,265 tone, from Apr. Early. Ville De Birasbourg (M.M.) Sandakan (Capt, H.J. Cairne) . , ; A13 | Early. Lasalle (Watletn) Kharkov (Wallem) B.C. 2 Ploneer Wave (U.S.L.) l'ret. McKinley (A.P.L.), 4,625 tons, from \$ Courser (A.P.J.) Mar. Tameriane (Dodwell), 4,149 tons, from 10 Grete Magrik (Jebsen); 21 Ruys (J.C.P.L.) Toulouter (Thoreson), 4,309 tons, from 21 English Prince (Jardine) Marilla K. Whf. 25 Chastine Maerak (Jebeen) S Roseville (Bank Line) 30 Laura Maerak (Jebern) DEPARTURES YESTERDAY PACIFIC COAST Ajax Bhanghal 1 Soochaw (11. & S.) Callex II Canton Mar LOS ANCELES Dilwara Hingapore 27 Capital Victory (Jardine) Elpedur Singapore Apr. . . . Pernyulf Manila Early, Cape Junction (Gifman) Hiram (De La Rama) Lukeside (Bank Line) Early. Lake Chilco (Jardine) Mil 13 Linfield Victory (Jardine) Ondina *0 Dougningille (Dank Line) 17 New Zealand Victory (Jardine) 13 Linfield Victory (Jardine) 21 English Prince (Jardine) ARRIVALS TODAY Lok Sang (Jardine) from Japan, K. Whf. | 25 . Chastine Macrak (Jabsen) Menestheus (II, & B.) from U.K. ... 80 Laura Maersk (Jobsen) May, Manchurla (East Asiatics) BAN PRANCISOO Pacific Transport (Jardine) from Pacific Coast At Mar. 3 Pioneer Wave (U.S.L.) Telnan (H. & S) from Swatow, Cust. Whf. 27 Pacific Bear (U.S.L.) 27 Capital Victory (Jardine) DEPARTURES TODAY Anhul (Jardine) Nahilla 30 Luzemburg Victory (U.3.1...) 17 New Zealand Victory (Jardine) Pres. Makinley Shanghat 80 Rutland Victory (AiP.Let Tamerlane Yokohama Apr. 1- Fleetwood (U.B.l.: VESSELS IN PORT American Merchant (U.S.L.) Al 1 Pres. Fillmore (A.P.L.) Amaranthus (Wheelock) R.R. Po 2 Willis Victory (A.P.L.) Anbui (B. & B.) Cust. Whf. & Mankato Victory (A)P.L.) Analock (Wallern) B.S. Po D Sen Serpent (U.S.L.) 4 Pres. Tyler (A.P.L.) Rin. Bay 12 New Zemland Victory (Jardine) Benvorlich (Loxley) K. Whf. 15 Linfield Victory (Inrdine) Carmen Moller (Moller's) a.C. 15 Louis Mell, Rows (AlP.L.) 10 Sally Matrek (Jebsen) Caroline Moller (Moller) B.C. 10 Contest (U;S.L.) Catherine (S.E. Asia) Yaumati 21 English Princo (Jardine) Chiao Jen (C.M.B.N.) S.C. 23 Pres. Monroe (A.P.J.) Colgate Victory. (A.P.L.) K. Whf. May Counter (J. Manuers) Y.M.T. 1 Scott E. Land (A.P.J.) Emp. Wre (Jafdine's) Kin. Dk. 10 Lightning (U.S.L.) 27 Capital Victory (Jardine) Escalante (De La Rama) . . . Talkoo Dk. 15 China : Transport (Jardine) Apr. lengtien (B. & S.) D14 20 Facific Transport (Jardine) Fu Kwang (A.P.C.) Port Offer 25 Capital Victory (Jardine) BRANCHAL & TERNTSIN Fukien (Il. & B.) Cust. Whf. Ganaterkerk (J.C.P.L.) K. Whf. Mar. BAN FRANCISCO Mar. 27, BOAC (Capt. John- Hal Nan (C.M.S.N.) L.C.E. Lake Pennask (Jardine) 24 Pacific Transport (Jardine) Hal Tan (Douglas) Co.'s Wh!. Apr. Hal Tien (C.M.S.N.) As 1 Wing Sang (Jamiine: 18 Skidmore Victory (A.P.L.) Mar, 25, Cathay Pacific, 2.30 Hal Yang (Douglas) Co.'s Whf. 4 Gassterkerk (J.C.P.L.) Haldis (Wo Fat Shing) B.B. Po IS New Zealand Victory (Jardine) English Prince (Jardine) Hang Bang (Jardine) A43 Hermelin (Thoresen) DG 10 Britain Victory (U.S.Ta) Hin Bang (Jardine) Ke Dk. 29 Trevelyan (P. & U.) Hock Lim (Ho Seng) 8 C. May Huang Haing (C. Mer.) B.C. 20 Troycan (P. & O.) Hunar (B. & B.) B14 Hung Yung (Dodwell) K. Day Apr. 'Kaferistan (Jardine) K. 'Whf. Mid. Glengarry (Jardine)

Panamaniam (Wallem) S. Cutters Apr. Mar. 25. Pan-American, B p.m. Shanghai, Okinawa, Mar. 26, Pan-American, 10 Sinking (B. & S.) Cust. Whf. 19 Glengarry (Jardine) May June 2, Pan-American, 10 Staghound (U.S.J.) K. Whf. May Mar. 25, BOAC (Capt. John- Tal Chung Bhan (Shun Cheong) ... Bo & Glengyle (Jardine) Talshan Peak 8.8. Pc. Jone Mar. 27, Air France, 7.30 a.m. Toulouse (Thoresen) K. Whf. Turkshand (Everett) Whangpu (B. & S.) S. Cotters William Nott (Everett) B4. Mar.

Wu Chang (B. & E.) B. Ontiers Apr. On Friday, 26th, Saturday, 27th and Y-21 (Grimble) Ymt, Bay '4 New Zealand Victory (Jardine) Post Office and Kowloon Central Post. VESSELS DUE FROM AMOY AND SWATOW 28 Hawner Bend (Evarett) ATLANTIC PORTS

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26 Kutsang (Jardine) CANADA Winnipez (Jardine)

30 Bataan (Ulliman) Mar. 80 Memnon (B. & B3 Abr. 8 Kambodia (Est Asiatie) 8. Mindoro (Gildens) Mid. Lake Chilliwack (Jardine)

Mid. Glenatres (Jardine) End. Claucus (D. & B.) War. 27 - Capital Victory (Jardine)

29. Wo Bang (Jardine) Tresittian (P. 40)

Alfricht) for Physicole, Riberoon, Cal-Johannesburg and Mirediles via Chico America and Continue Remondation (Rec.) Continued at foot; of next Go(umu) Noon, (Ord.) -Noon,

25 Pacific Transport (Juidine) 27 Philippine Bear (Janline) 17 New Zealand Victory (Jardine) 17. Philippine Transport (Jardine) 9 Dirange Victory (U.S.L.) 10 China Mail (A.M.L.) 31 Flying Cloud (Pattison) 4 Courser hander (A.P.la.) 26 Pres. Monroe (A.P.L.) 3 Scott F. Land (A.P.L.) 16 Grete Muersk (Jebsen) 28 Laura Maerak (Jebsen) 11 Mankato Vittory (A.P.L.) In Hang Bang (Jardine) Early. 'Andaman' (De La Rama) 1 Pres. Fillmore (A.P.L.) 1 Rutland Victory (A.P.L.) 2 : Fleetwood (U.S.L.) S' General, Meigs (A.P.L.) 4 Pres. Jefferson (A.P.L.) '4 Pres. Tyler (A.P.L.) 4 . Willis Victory (A.P.L.) 6. Bougainville (Bank Line) Mar. 25, H.K. Airways, 10 a.m. | Kharkov (Wallem) S.C. Late. Breconchire (Jardine) 6 Pres. Madison (A.P.L.) BOUTH AMBRICA a China Victory (U.S.L.) 10 Sea Serpent (U.S.I.) 11 Mankato Victory (A.P.L.) UNITED KINGDOM 13 Linfield Victory (Jardine) Memmon (B. & B.) Holt's Whf. 27 Glaucus (U. & B.) 17 Louis McH. Howe (A.P.La) Marylock (Wallem)Yadmati Mar. Mieuw Holland (R.R.L.) B15 | 31, Benlawers (Ben Line) 2Q Britain Victory (U.S.L.) Petrel (M.M.) K. Whf. 18 Trovelyan (P. & O.) 20 Pres. Grant (A.P.l.) Pres. McKinley (A.P.L.) K. Whf. Mid. Achilles (B. 4 8.) 24 General Gordon (A.P.L.) 26 Pres. Monros (A.P.L.) Shantung: (B. A S.) Ymt. 17 Glenatrae (Jardine) 1 Pres. Cleveland (A.P.L.) Bolarium (B. & S.) Talkon Dk. 26 Trevenn (P. & O.) 1. Scott E. Land (A.P.L.) | Soochow (B. & S.) Talkon Dk. 28 Breconshire (Jardine) 3 Surprise (U.S.I..) 4 China Bear (U.S.L.) Burprise (U.B.L.) A12 Early. Benarty (Louley) & Marine Enapper (A.P.L.) Tal Hing (Fook Kee) from Swatow, Ymt. Mid., Breeruschan (Loxley) 11 Lightning (U.S.L.) 15 General Meigs (A.P.L.) Tal Ping (China Pacific) B.C Late., Benmachhul (Loxley). Mid. Vingnes (Moliers) Tamerlane (Dodwell) All Early. Denbigshire (Jardine) Tatung (3. & B.) (P. & O.) BRANGHAL & TIENTSIN Volsella (B. & S.) Tal Kok, Taul 9 China: Mail (A.M.L.) 25 Pacific Transport (Jarding) .. YOKOHAMA 26 Shensking (B. & B.) 28. Kut Bang (Jardine) We Sang (Jardine) IJardine) 20 Rubystone (11.1.) Late. Glenstrae (Jardine) 5 China Victory (U.S.L.) 1 Wing Seng (Jardine) 12 Choy Sang (Jardine)

SAILINGS TO 18 Linfield Victory (Jardine) -AFRICA Early. Dona Aurora (De La Rama), 25 Tulnan (B. 4 S.) Farly. Glenzyle (Jardine) 10 Cape Junction (Gilman) 26 Halyang (Douglas) | Early. : China Transport (Jardine) 8 Mindoro (De La Rama) 29 Mencathene (13, & B.) - 24 Paelfe Transport (Jardine) Early. Tamara (De La Rama) | Early. Denbigshire (Jardine) 2 Tamers (De La Rams) 17 (Trusces (P. &: O.) Baechuen (D. & B.) 28 Yunnan (B. & S.) Mid. Bataan (De La Rama) Mar-25 Dona Aniceta (De La Rama) 28 Lok Sang (Jardine) Late., Ball (Dy Lu Rama) 31 Nanchang (D. & B.) Early. Bataan (De La Rama) Apr. 2 Szechuen (D. & B.) Mid., Tartigra (De La Rama) 2 Wo Sang (Jurdine) 20 Pres. Grant (A.P.L.) 4 Roseville (Bank Line) 21 English Prince (Jardine) 4 Yannan (Jardine) BANGKOK '9 Choy Sang (Jardine) 26, Empire Park (Jebahun) Mar.

10 Birdhana -... (Apcar) 31 Poyang (D. a. fl.) - B1; -Ruys (J.C.P.L.) AUSTRALIA ' 8 Bougainville (Bank Lines LASS. 25 Tamara (Gliman) . Lake Chiles (Jardine) . D . Titan (D: 4 8) 21 Bellawers (Loulev) 20 Gansterkerk (J.O.P.L.) + May Memnon A ... (P. & O.) 4 Benlawera (Ben Line)

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first winners of "The Victory Cup". At the turn, the Hong

Kong Bank couple must have

been quietly confident with a

'four up' sign on their bags but

'that's Shell, that was' they were heard to say shortly afterwards,

when a spasm of birdles from the

A.P.C. brought the game all

Reid was left with a holeable

putt for the game. However, the

gods were not smiling and the

diately after Easter.

championship:--

2-6, 6-4, 6-4.

lam 6-3, 75.

tennis games:-

Mackenzie 6-0, 6-0.

Au Kam-moon and Pang

The following are today's

K. H. Wong and Lam Kwan.

Lee Wai-tong and P.T. Hau.

D. Chan, and C. Y. Wing

F. A. Flsher and A. H.

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KOREA'S **FUTURE**

Nanking, Mar. 23. Rorea faces a "Czech" fature, said Mr. K. P. S. Menon, Indian Ambassador, who served as head of the United Nations Korean Commission, on arrival in Nanking from Korea. He said that Korea was

caught between "two blocs' of nations, but the United Nations was doing its best to resolve the difficulties confronting Korean people, - Reuter-

Opium In Kwangtung

than 2,000 acres of poppy fields, most of which were in discovered in outlying districts

near Swator. The price of oplum is now at a premium in Kwangtung. Prices are being quoted as high ns CN\$5,000,000 an ounce. It was disclosed in Canton. The prewar rate was only CNC\$5 an ounce.

The Canton messages said that in some areas troops had to be called out to assist in destroying poppy fields.

Police Recruits Wanted

stables for the Hong Kong goal were blocked. recommenced.

Applicants must be able to qualifications:---

Height- 5 ft. 6 inches, Chest any breakaway. and Age-20 to 25 years. .

stables on Police Launches. person to Chief Inspector, the upright with Lee out of posi-Water Police, Teim Sha Tsui, hard drive was saved by Lee Kowloon.

HOME FOOTBALL

London, Mar. 22. Flotball and rugger matches:-First Division: - Aston 0 Manchester United 1. Rugby Union: - Cromlin Newbridge 12.—Reuter

ARMY HOCKEY

In the semi-final of the Army

Schoolboy Scores Two Goals

Sing Tao's long run of successes was broken yesterday when they were well beaten by South China in the First Division of the Football League by three clear goals, two of which were scored in the first half.

South China played fast football, were quick in their tackling and used their wingers to a very great extent. It was through them that all the raids on the Sing Tao goal started.

Once South China had scored their first goal they played inspired football. The defence worked hard under pressure and MIIIONS were bent on clearing their lines at all cost. Chan Tak-fai led the forwards well and received excellent support from Au Chivin, a Queen's College student, who netted two gonls.

In the defence Lee Wan-woo played well in goal. In the

opium poppy cultivation, it was not get going. Their balves die the importation of cash is gov- was as he could not read English. and possibly the Easter week end officially announced in Canton. not give them much support, Hau erned by the Defence (Finance) He was then arrested. according to Chinese press des- and Soong crowded too much to | Regulations,

> worst games this senson. He was | ted. at fault with all three goals and Multi-millionaire Mo was alhis worst error was the second lowed out on ball of \$10, which when he fumbled a weak shot for sum was estreated when he Except for occasional brenka- A. Blair-Kerr at Kowloon yes-Tong Sheng to run in to score.

ways which were dangerous Sing terday. Tao held the upper hand at the commencement of the game, Play was rather robust and the timely action of the referee in pulling up several players prevented the game from becoming rough,

A centre by Lau She-wah resulted in Au Chi-yin scoring and shortly after Tong Sheng scored another for South China when Yee gave him a chance. These reverses put Sing Tao on

their mettle and they let loose a terrific onslaught on the South China goal. Luck was with South China and a number of show at

the second half on the defensive. Sing Tao were throwing every read and write Chinese and thing into the attack. The intershould possess the following mediate line moved well up and the backs were left to cope with

On at least three occasions _33 inches, Weight-120 lbs. Sing Tao should have scored. Lai Shui-wing and Ho Ying-fan miss-Successful Candidates will ed when well placed and Hsu be required to serve as Con- King-seng had the motification of I seeing two good shots fail. The Applicants are to report in first was a pile driver which hit

As time grew short Sing Tao pressed harder. Tse Kam-ho was weak on the left wing and Chan burdens on the people of the Reuter. Kam-hoi and Fung King-cheong United States in the future." were unable to manoeuvre for a

shooting position. South China scored ,their ,third goal when Au Chi-yin netted

South China: Lee Wan-woo; Yuen ,Yanshing and Li Bhek-chung; Sun Yau-san, Leung Wing-chul and Lau Wing-kwong; Lee Yat, Au Chi-rin, Chan Tak-fal, Tong Sheung and Lau Shik-wal. Sing Taet Yee Yne-tek; Hau Yung-sang

competition yesterday and Mok; Lau Tin-san, Hau King-sens and Soons Ling-sing; Ho Ying-fen, Fung H.Q. Land Forces beat Innis- King-cheung, Chang Kam-bol, Lai Bhulkillings by three goals to one. wing and The Kara-bo. EUROPEAN TITLE

CHANGES HANDS Nottingham, Mar. 22. Ray Famechon, of France, became the European featherweight champion here tonight when he beat the holder, Ronnie Clayton, of England,

on points over 15 rounds. It was a fast contest throughout. In the final round he tried to fush The Frenchman, using a rapier-like his man, but Famechon's superlor left hand, dictated matters and rare. stafning told and with pistolilike ly allowed Clayton to pursue ble lefts and rights to the head he had favourite tactics of getting to close Clayton groggy.

by the speed with which his opponent in victory.

Woman Taken Out Of Court

"Take that woman out of the buttle is to be fought anew on court," said Mr. F. X. d'Almada Easter Monday, on hearing that her son had discussion as to the proper proson had been assaulted and (b) is repeated:-

asked for money. largeny of two cheques from under handicap when no other to starboard. Complainant gave evidence as shall be considered won."

Booker all 1 down. ques were missing. in Kwangtung, have been on some good saves. Are was present of the money changers with open foursomes. The mixed four- Aquilla led to Channel Rocks where Theseus II (Mallone) 1,62,56 bank notes was brought against charged with inefficiency in very lucky on several occasions. for anyone to carry anywhere, went to the money changers with paper of the paper of t

atenes yesterday.

Wares the centre and the less than the same control of the same con the authorities in the various was too slow at back and Hau counties have destroyed more Yung-sang had his time fully oc-Yung-sang nad his time mily och he was booked on the charge herself and had been put out of remove those bumps on the fair. Aquilla spread her spinnaker and Yee Yu-tak played one of his excess of the amount permit-cursed the Magistrate (in Chi-siastic and it is proposed to go Island but lost again on the heat up Thursday White. Tennance from peared for second defendant, re-

Insp. Moran prosecuted.

Alleged to have taken part it the robbery of Mr. Ross and th murder of Mr. Wood, Lau Hol, He The CN\$94,800,000 was order-Cheuk-kui, King Lok and Li ed to be confiscated to the Chung-chun, were at the reques' Bank of China. The total value of the prosecution, remanded by of the confiscated money, in terms of Hong Kong currency, Mr. F.X. d'Almada yesterday for was approximately \$1,000.

Survival Of U.S. Is Now At Stake Washington, Mar. 22.

Police Force (Water Police) has the interval South China started The House Foreign Affairs Committee said today that "the very survival of the United States' is at stake in the present programme to stop Communism and help Europe to recover economically.

Committee said this in a written statement sent to the House of Representatives with a \$6,205 million bill to help Europe and China. The bill is to come before the House tomorrow.

The same considerations which require aid to Europe make it necessary to strengthen China-"as a barrier in the Fast East against the further encroachments of Communism and the domination of the world by Moscow.

there can be but one choice: to extend., the aid necessary in both the economic and military apheres. A calculated risk, i has been called. But such a risk is no risk compared to the grim certainty of the alternative," the Committee said.

Wise Insurance

Meanwhile, Dr. Karl Comp- on the night of Oct. 17. ton, Chairman of President Truman's Advisory Commission on military training, said here there was a knock on the door today that universal military as he was trying to revive her training, for America was "a and pushed her out through the very wise insurance premium cabin porthole./ for protection against the The prosecution maintained enormously. more expensive that Camb killed the girl, possituation which could be a fu- sitly to guard himself against

The Englishman was bewildered scoreboard, raised Famethon's hand military posture" Dr. Compton In his closing speech, Camb's knockout could have preserved his cliff.

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Two visiting Rotarians from divisions for possible defence the was to shout the said that he against 100 Soviet and satellite Canton, H. S. Chuck and Joseph was told that the man was a member of the asked. "Was there he asked." Was told that the man was a member of the saked. "Was there he asked." Was told that the man was a member of an organisation which was to be a subject to throw his opponent out of the court of a stable, paaceful economy with anything to prevent this girl anything to prevent this opponent out of the court of a stable, paaceful economy with anything to prevent this girl anything to prevent this opponent out of the court many the court many thing to prevent this girl anything to prevent this opponent out of the court many the court many

The Committee said the pro- A group of educationalists gramme "is necessary to pre- and clergymen, criticising milivent the United States from tary training yesterday, said it A.-J. Remedios v K. H. Ip and being confronted with a world would be regarded by all the Paul Kong. so unbalanced and hostile as world as "an indication that

G. A. Noronha and A. E. to present almost insuperable America intends to go to war," Noronha v J. D. Mackie and S. Durban Castle' Steward

Found Guilty Winchester, Mar. 22.

"Faced with this prospect, James Camb, deck steward of the liner Durban Castle, was tonight sentenced to death for the murder of Eileen "Gay" Gibson, an actress who disappeared from the ship off West Africa. Camb's defence in the four "Whatever Camb did., when

course with her in her cabin

a charge of rape or attempted

By the tests round Craytons letter by was nearly closed and Fameton for a many soon began to exploit a punishing right food which had Cleiven clearly in trouble in the list in the list in the list in the list of the large of the investigation was a long on the three was nearly closed and Fameton food which had Cleiven clearly in trouble in the list in the list in the list in the list of the large of the investigation was a long on the three was nothing improve in that the list of the large of the investigation was a long on the three was nothing improve in that the list of the large of the line region and friends the large of the larg

days trial was that the 21-year- he put that body through the old girl died in his arms af- porthole, it was not out of any ter he had had sexual inter- feeling of panic," he said., Mr. Roberts declared that H.K. Rosidents .. 5 Camb's motive had, been the Hoyal Navy wish for "self-preservation-He said he "panicked" when destroying the deadly evidence H.M.S. Amethyst 3 against him."-Reuter.

weekend. In addition five of the new "Dragons" were out sail stretching and generally settling down and reminded many of pre-war days, especially with the new Dragons in many cases having some of the old names. Ariki, Aquilla and Yvonne were ! Team fixtures have had to be when Chan Tsan Yee's mother, Incidentally, there was a little the three cruisers out. In both races, changed since they were published

At Kellet Island

gramme at the R.H.K.Y.C. Kellet Island last

Dinghy Races

Members of the R.H.K.Y.C. are

NEW "DRAGONS"

sentenced to eighteen ceedure when the players left the at the start, but Aquilla and Ariki- at 11 a.m. is months hard labour, began to 18th; was it the 19th or a replay? with the new handicaps-had very H.K. Government v. The Shippers. weep and moan saying that her For general information Rule 27 close races. Saturday's race was The monthly race for ladies in 14 "In all competitions not under in the harbour. Sunday's cruiser day afternoon at 1 p.m. A very big Defendant was charged with handleap, and in all competitions course was round Hong Kong Island Easter holiday turnout of ladles for

Wong Yuk King on March 9 and arrangement has been made by In both races, Mr. R.S. Hownamwith being a member of an un- the players before driving off at Meek in his Dragon "Coppelia" join-lawful acciety, the Fel Lung the first tee, in the event of a ed in to get an idea of the compara-charge but guilty to the second. | gained a hole, when the match calm day for the "round-the-island" | Theseus I (Derkywager) 1.24.80 race, with a North East wind at the Counch (Cussins) 1.25.10 Merchant from Shanghal, was to how the cheques were stolen The Bogey Poll over the work start varying to East through Lyemun Stonecutters I (E. Corbett) 1,27,37 rived at Kal Tak airfield by said that he was jostled from ir I up. Runners up were E, H. d'Aquilar. The tide flooded all day rived at Mai and antique of said then he found the che. Sainsbury, W.O. Davies and N.J. until the evening when it abbed dur- stonecutters IV (Gordon) \$37.31 forged bank notes knowing them ing the last half tour of the race Stonecutters V (C.G. Smith) 1.39,11 to have been forged and with in-Twenty-nine magistrates, au- second must be seen and brought He had with him CN\$99,800,- Defendant denied stealing the Final reminder—the closing during the bear back up harbour to ministering different countries should from good saves. He was 000, which was plenty of cash chaques and said that he only date is this week-end for the Keller Island. Of the cruisers, Theseur, III (Corbett) 1.51.10 of Leing in possession of forgets in Kwangtung, have been of some good saves. He was 1000, which was plenty of cash chaques and said that he only date is this week-end for the Keller Island. Of the cruisers, These with the only date is this week-end for the Keller Island. Of the cruisers, III (Corbett) 1.51.10 of Leing in possession of forgets.

Gruisers:time | mid \$.30 p.m. Aquilla (Mr. F. Clemo) 1.25.25 1.12.47 Ariki (Mr. T.F. Honess) 1,25,43 Yvonne (Mr. Inglis) .. 1.37.52 1.23.04 Dragon:-Coppelia (Mr. Hownam-Meek) netual time about 1 hr. 8 mins.

Cruisers:-

Elapsed Corrected Arlk! (Mr. T.F. Honess) 7.56,04 Wong Hok sang and Kwok Aquilla (Mr. Grey).... 7,57,80 Hing-chan beat J. J. Remedios Yvonne (Mr. Christensen) 8,18,30 Dragon:-Coppelia (Mr. Hownamand A. V. Gosano 6-2, 4-6 and Meck) netual time 6.36.6.

Lee Chun-kit and Y. Y. Lam last week-end are beat M. L. Chan and A. Chan Ariki (with propeller) B mins. Aquilia (without propeller) .. Rig mins. C. K. L. Wu and Lau Chun Yvonne (without propeller) .. 9 mine.

beat H. V. Ardy and R. J. the remaining yachts are unchanged. Menagerie Race M. W. Lo and M. K. Lo beat On Good Friday, there is an all

day race for all clauses-Whalers, I Jubilees, Dragons, Crubers-starting at 9 a.m., course ' round Wagian Island to starboard. Last year 1; P. Poon and H. T. Ng v S. boats took part in this race and it is hoped to see a bigger entrance this v year. There is no other race for cruisers planned for next week-end.

The Stars raced on Saturday and Sunday as follows:--

BATURDAY Atale (Brookes) 1.53.46 Bellatrix (Brookes) 1.28.46 Polaris (Hawley) Disqualified | possible for us to retreat". Team Race

H.M.S. Amethyst at the bottom of the league scored a good win over not know whether the dethe H.K. Residents, at the top of the cision which road it will take league, on Sunday moining:--Theseus II (East 'A') 1.25.00 armed conflict "but the possibility Amethyst (Brookes 'A') 1.25.02 is not very remote." Theseus I (Aten 'H.K.R.') 1.25.04 Black (Griffiths 'A') 3.28.00 Thoseus III (Coote 'HK.IL') 1.27.00

Stonecutters I (Haddock 'H.K.R.') 1.42.63 Results H.M.S. Amethyst 42 H.R. Residents 87

The position in the league now is-Team Raced Wen Leet Pin Kowloon Residents 8

SS Man Forced To Run, Till He Dropped

sald: "Recent events em- counsel, Mr. J. D. Casswell, A London court martial today heard how a former phasise the need and urgency said the prosecution had to German SS man was made to run naked

points over ten rounds in a non-litte an acceptable high standard of calling out and proventing this graceful conduct of a cruel mature," start a rising on Hitler's birthday tiving. The from coming into the arms in Commence of a crucial and information was to be forced out last nuture. He said.

Week-End Yachting dinghy races and two Star races filled the pro-

Shanghai, Mar. 23. Large quantities of smuggled goods, including penicillin, butter and other articles were seized by the police and several arrests were made on the arrival of three Chinese steamers

At the same time, the Customs authorities uncovered CN\$4,000 million worth of smuggled commodities aboard a Chinese steamer from Hong Kong. -Reuter.

Committed

Hul Kin-hel, 29, were committed to the next Sessions by Mr. Tam when they appeared at Central Magistracy yesterday on Gambia I (Robinson) 1.36.00 charges of conspiring to utter BUNDAY SWEEPSTAKE RACE | Lent to defraud. Another charge

steps, hoats will call for Kowloon sented, also reserved their de-Elapsed Corrected Residents at the Police Pier at 8 p.m. fence and the right to call wit-

Possibility Of "Not Very Remote"

Washington, Mar. 22. Cruiser handicaps adjusted since Representative Charles Eaton, Chairman of the House of Representatives Foreign Affairs Committee, said here today that the possibility of a third world war "Is not very re-

> Mr. Eaton was asking the House Rules Committee to send to the House of Representatives quicklegislation for aid to Western

The House Rules Committee, the past war. What assurances has to decide when a bill is to be have we that they would parconsidered by the House, ticipate In -a -defence against Even before the Rules Com- Cimmunism?", Mr. Brown asked. mittee session, there was an in- Mr. Vorys replied: "Turkey formal understanding that the will fight to the last man against big fireign aid bill would come Communism whether we help up tomorrow and leaders pre- her or not".

dicted its passage by next week. Mr. Vorys said : the Foreign Mr. Eaton added: "Sooner or Ministers of the three Scanlater slavery and freedom will dinavian countries were meeting stand face to face in this world "to consider whether they can In Greece and Turkey, he ad- Switzerland was also consider-

Mr. Euton sald the world was JAP STRIKES coming to a crossroads. He did Tokyo, Mar. 28. would be made, through an

A Glacier

60 (Sherriff ('H.K.R.') 1.29.49 Live E. Ccx (Democrat of Geor-Tyne II (Kino 'H.K.R.') 1.29.50 gia) whether his Committee had Gambla II (Streeter 'A') 1.30.00 any assurance that countries day. Bionscutters IV (Howard 'A') .. 1.21.50 getting the assistance "will do !.

> I dominant sentiment of my Committee is that all this ald is essential military aid against any eventual attempt to conquer the

Mr. Enton, continuing, said; Russia has gone down like a glacier through the Baltic States and Albania, and now is threatening Finland and other boys Hong Kong Rotary held Scandinavian countries.

force - military if necessary that will stop them". Representative John tee, told the Rules Commit French tee that as he saw it, the purpose of the bill was to support tertainment in a bleak atmost the economics of countries which

SEIZURES IN SHANGHAI

from Hankow.

Mr. Sutherton Rust, who ap-

China. Greece and Turkey.

More than 1,800,000 Japaneso workers, including Government employees, and teachers, will begin a series of sporadic strikes throughout the country, He was asked by Representa- starting on Thursday, the Workers' Union announced to

About 400,000 of the strikers kers. The Union said that the Mr. Eaton replied: "The pre strikes would continue; until the Government reconsidered its attitude of "rejecting all demands without room for compromise"—Reuter.

Despite the strike of hotel

its weekly meeting at the "They will not stop until they Jacobean Room at the Hong come up against an economic Kong Hotel yesterday and had their luncheon served to thom Verya by Filipino band members. (Republican of Ohio), a member A talk by Rotarion D. S. Hill of the Foreign Affairs Committon the life and work of the

the body and clearly shook Famerhon on at least two occasions in the second round and again in the second round again in the second round and again in the second round round